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SUMMARY.

The Chancellor declares Germany will fight if another Power intervenes between Servia and Austria.

Germany, he said, would have to lay her sword in the scale in the interests of her allies.

The Foreign Minister said yesterday that Anglo-German relations had been especially frank, and would continue so.

Greece, it is believed, insists on the surrender of Janina and Skutari, and persists in the blockade of the Albanian coast.

With the exception of the senior officers, the Turkish army is bitterly opposed to peace.

Bekki Pasha with the Monastir army is trying to junction with the Turkish army at Janina, in Epirus.

The bombardment of Adrianople continues. The Russian Consul's residence was struck by a shell yesterday.

Half a million Russian troops are to be concentrated in Poland.

Lord Rosebery, speaking of Lord Roberts, said England was turning a heedless ear to the greatest soldier she possessed.

Suffragists are arranging a big working women's "visit" to Mr. Asquith and Mr. Lloyd George at the House of Commons.

Railway companies deny that another national railway strike has been threatened.

Severe snowstorms have swept over the north of England and Scotland, and 24 degrees of frost were recorded at Nairn.

To force seceders to re-enter the South Wales Miners' Federation 3000 men struck successfully in the Garw Valley.

The Court of Appeal has decided that Edison is not the inventor of the moving picture film.

President Taft's message to Congress states that United States relations with other Powers are satisfactory.

The body of Mrs. Nowill, who disappeared at New Quay last week, has been found by some fishermen on the rocks.

An Admiralty expert says that negotiations are proceeding by which the Australian navy may share in wireless secrets.

Sixteen mourners were injured and one killed at Johannesburg by a thunderstorm which occurred during a funeral.

The damage by the great fire in Glasgow amounts to £60,000, and hundreds of people are out of employment.

The late Lord Furness bequeathed £30,000 in aid of the training of boys for the mercantile marine.

Early yesterday morning Mr. Holman explained the proposed Gas Bill amendments to the Legislative Assembly.

Where increased wages increased the cost of production, companies might raise the standard price of gas.

The 3s 6d rate was accepted as the standard price of gas, the candle-power being increased from 14 to 15.

The redistribution of the State into electoral districts was agreed to unanimously.

The present seven city electorates are reduced to six. Few electorates remain unaltered.

Last night the House was engaged in passing a number of works measures.

The Height of Buildings Bill was finally passed in the Legislative Council.

The fire at the North Lyell mine is believed to be extinguished. Preparations are being made to reduce the water.

Yesterday the N.S.W. Association cordially entertained the team who won the Davis Cup for England on Saturday.

Mr. Dixon, the captain, said that Australia was rich in young tennis players of great ability.

Counsel has advised that Government House and grounds are the absolute property of the Imperial Government.

The Citizens' Committee intend applying to the Supreme Court for an injunction against the State Government.

The debate on the referendum proposals was resumed yesterday in the House of Representatives.

Mr. Cook (N.S.W.) said there was no coal combine in New South Wales. Vends had been forced into existence by the miners.

The present Lord Mayor announced yesterday that he will be a candidate for the mayoralty during the coming year.

The new senate will be elected under the new University Bill on or before May 1, 1913.

An informal Cabinet meeting was held yesterday to consider the Sugar Commission's report.

The report will be laid on the table of the House to-day.

Lord Liverpool, the new Governor of New Zealand, arrived at Fremantle yesterday by the Malwa.

The Attorney-General (Mr. Holman) left Sydney for Wellington last evening.

Judge Scholes opened the Royal Commission on the Southern Collieries dispute at Wollongong yesterday.

At the National Council of Women yesterday Lady Chelmsford said Australian women had much influence in moulding public opinion.

At the Central Criminal Court Thomas Evans was acquitted, on the ground of insanity, of murdering a widow at Surry Hills.

For the first 11 months of the year, 105 fires were attended by the Broken Hill Brigade. There were 10 calls in November.

For intercepting correspondence, Norman McLeod, a bankrupt, was attached yesterday for contempt of Court.

Crops in the Parkes district are running over 20 bags, and the sample so far is the best for many years.

A swimming record by Miss Durack, at Coogee last March, has been formally recognised by the International Federation.

This is the first Australian record to be passed by the Federation.

J. H. Townley, a convict, recaptured 12 months after escaping from Yatala prison, will now have to serve 11 years.

The heaviest storm for many years was experienced at Adelaide early yesterday morning. The consequences were fortunately not serious.

A boy of 17, sentenced at Adelaide for stealing £3048 worth of jewellery, was influenced by moving pictures of burglaries.

The Chief Justice strongly expressed the opinion that such films should be stopped.

Only 16,608 tons of sugar have been exported from Mackay since the beginning of the season.

As 36,985 tons were exported up to the same date last year, the decrease is considerable.

Last week, 11,356 packages of butter were handled by the Queensland Department of Agriculture.

The number for the same period last year was 3946.

Government pensions for invalids were promised by the New Zealand Minister for Marine yesterday, at Christchurch.

The mail coach for Bundarra was upset near Tarrybun yesterday. The driver and a passenger were injured.

November's revenue for Queensland was £431,427, an increase on last year of £34,859, principally in railways.

At Brisbane, yesterday, Arthur Rickards was fined £100, or six months' hard labour, for sending indecent matter through the post.

A butcher's assistant was accidentally imprisoned in a refrigerator at Wangaratta, but escaped before receiving serious injury.

Mr. Fisher announced yesterday that old-age pensions would be paid before Christmas Day.

Wheat was slightly weaker yesterday, shippers reducing limits for January-February deliveries to 3/6½ Sydney.

Branbags were easier, but cornsacks firmed up to 7/.

A large volume of business was effected on 'Change yesterday at somewhat easier rates.

Heavy clearings were made at yesterday's wool auctions at very firm prices.

A more buoyant feeling existed in the Mining market consequent on the more hopeful political aspect in Europe.

Business therefore was on a large scale, and values were generally firmer.

Forecast.—Hot and sultry generally, with more thunderstorms and rain, chiefly over the southern half of the State; more local squalls; wind veering to cool southerly in the far west.

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tORAMA	13,000	Coad	Dec. 21	Dec. 25	Dec. 27
ORONTES	9,023	Cox	Jan. 4	Jan. 8	Jan. 10
ORSOVA	12,036	Healey	Jan. 18	Jan. 22	Jan. 24
OMRAH	8,130	Layton	Feb. 1	Feb. 5	Feb. 7
*ORVIETO	12,130	Shelford	Feb. 12	Feb. 19	Feb. 21
*OTWAY	12,077	Symons	Feb. 26	Mar. 5	Mar. 7
*OTRANTO	12,124	Jenks	Mar. 12	Mar. 19	Mar. 21
*OSTERLEY	12,129	Parsons	Mar. 26	April 2	April 4
tORAMA	13,000	Coad	April 9	April 16	April 18
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MARAMA	6,500	10,800	Mar. 10	Mar. 14
MAKURA	8,100	12,200	April 7	April 11
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SYDNEY TO ADELAIDE, MOUNT GAMBIER, BROKEN HILL.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 9.

CHEAP TICKETS will be issued at Sydney (only) to Adelaide, Mount Gambier, and Broken Hill, by the 20.5 p.m. Mail Train on MONDAY, DECEMBER 9.

FARES FROM SYDNEY TO ADELAIDE AND MOUNT GAMBIER:—Single: First-class, £4; Second-class, £2 13s. Return: First-class, £6; Second-class, £4.

FARES FROM SYDNEY TO BROKEN HILL:—Single: First-class, £6 2s 6d; Second-class, £4. Return: First-class, £9 3s; Second-class, £6.

The Return Tickets will be available for return (Express Trains excepted) within one calendar month from date of issue.

SPECIAL CHEAP EXCURSION TO MELBOURNE.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 10.

A SPECIAL EXCURSION TRAIN will leave Sydney for Melbourne at 3.55 p.m. on TUESDAY, DECEMBER 10, calling at the principal stations en route, arriving at Melbourne at 12.24 p.m. next day.

FARES: First-class: Single, £2 6s; Return, £3 10s. Second Class: Single, £1 13s; Return, £2 10s. The Return Tickets will be available for return within one calendar month from the date of issue. BUT NOT BY THE MELBOURNE EXPRESS TRAINS.

Cheap Tickets to Melbourne will also be issued at certain Western Stations.

Handbills and further particulars obtainable from Stationmasters.

EXCURSION TRAINS TO AND FROM THE COUNTRY.

DECEMBER, 1912.

TICKETS at the Rate of Single Fare for the Double Journey (minimum rates 7s 6d First-class, and 5s Second-class) will be issued on the undermentioned dates. Such Tickets will have a coupon attached, which will require to be exchanged for a Single Ticket for the return journey within six weeks from date of issue. Excursionists will be allowed to return only by trains specified on handbills.

Excursion Trains for country stations will leave Sydney as follows:

TO THE NORTHERN AND NORTH-WESTERN LINE.

To Main Line Stations north of Woy Woy and to the Morpeth Branch, on Monday, December 9.

To stations Oakhampton to Dungog, to the North-western Branch, including Inverell Line and stations Round Swamp to Collarenebri East and to the Barraba Branch, on Tuesday, December 10.

To stations Bugilbone to Walgett, on Wednesday, December 11.

TO THE WESTERN LINE AND BRANCHES.

To Main Line stations, Springwood and West thereof as far as Bourke, to stations Irondale to Mudgee inclusive, to the Blayney-Cowra, Grenfell, Canowindra, and Forbes Branch Lines, stations Brolgan to Bogan Gate and Tullamore, also to the Coonamble, Warren, Brewarrina, and Cobar Branches, on Monday, December 16.

To stations Munna to Dunedoo, Carlachy to Condobolin, and to the Peak Hill Branch on Tuesday, December 17.

TO THE SOUTHERN LINE AND BRANCHES.

To stations on the Urana Branch, on Monday, December 16.

To the Southern Line and Branches, except stations on the Urana and Crookwell branches, on Tuesday, December 17.

To stations on the Crookwell Branch, on Wednesday, December 18.

Similar cheap tickets will also be issued from country stations to Sydney and intermediate stations as under:—

FROM THE NORTHERN AND NORTH-WESTERN LINES.

From Main Line stations north of Tamworth, and from stations Collarenebri East to Round Swamp, inclusive, on Thursday, December 12.

From stations Tamworth to Woy Woy, inclusive, from the Inverell, Barraba, Dungog, and Morpeth branches, and stations Walgett to Bugilbone, and Moree to Gap, inclusive, on Friday, December 13.

From stations Tamworth to Woy Woy, inclusive, from the Inverell, Dungog, and Morpeth branches, and stations Walgett to Bugilbone, and Narrabri to Gap, on Monday, December 16.

From stations Collarenebri East to Round Swamp, inclusive, on Tuesday, December 17.

FROM THE WESTERN LINE AND BRANCHES.

From stations Dubbo to Mary Vale, Orange to Springwood, and Tullamore to Brolgan, inclusive, from the Forbes and Grenfell branches, and stations Mudgee to Irondale, inclusive, on Monday, December 16.

From stations Nyngan to Minore, and Wellington to Clergate, inclusive, also from stations on the Warren, Peak Hill, Coonamble, and Canowindra branches, and stations Condobolin to Carlachy, Cowra to Stanfield, and Dunedoo to Munna, inclusive, on Tuesday, December 17.

From stations Bourke to Summervale, inclusive, and from the Brewarrina and Cobar branches, and stations Orange to Springwood, inclusive, on Wednesday, December 18.

FROM THE SOUTHERN LINE AND BRANCHES.

From stations Grenfell to Warrangong, on Monday, December 16.

From the Urana, Tumut, Barellan, and Wyalong Branches, also from stations Wattamondara to Kingsvale, inclusive, on Tuesday, December 17.

From Main Line stations Albury to Douglas Park, inclusive, and from stations on the Corowa, Germanton, Hay, Finley, Crookwell, and Nimitybelle branches on Wednesday, December 18.

FROM THE ILLAWARRA LINE.

From stations Nowra to Corrimal, inclusive, on Friday, December 13.

For times of trains, availability of tickets, trains by which Excursionists may return, etc., see handbills, obtainable from all stationmasters.

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR HOLIDAYS.

INTERSTATE HOLIDAY EXCURSION FARES.

Holiday Excursion Tickets will be issued to the Principal Victorian, South Australian, and Queensland stations, commencing on Wednesday, December 11, and until Wednesday, January 1, inclusive.

FARES:

Sydney to Melbourne.	
First Class	£5
Second Class	£3/15/
Sydney to Adelaide.	
First Class	£7/10/
Second Class	£5/2/6
Sydney to Broken Hill.	
First Class	£10/13/6
Second Class	£7/2/
Sydney to Brisbane.	
First Class	£5
Second Class	£3
Newcastle to Brisbane.	
First Class	£4/12/6
Second Class	£2/15/

These Tickets will be available for return for three months. The journey may be broken for one month going and during the currency of the ticket on return.

The tickets issued from New South Wales and Queensland stations to Victoria, and vice versa, will not be available by express trains between Sydney and Albury, except on payment of the difference between the Holiday Excursion and Ordinary Fare. Excursion Tickets issued to and from South Australia will be available by Express Trains.

Full particulars obtainable from stationmasters.

By order,
J. S. SPURWAY, Secretary.
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GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS.

New South Wales Government Railways and Tramways.
Office of the Chief Commissioner,
Sydney, December 3, 1912.

TENDERS will be received at this office until 12 o'clock (noon) on the dates specified for the Undermentioned Supplies, Works, viz.:—

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 4, 1912.

THE RENTING OF THE REFRESHMENT ROOMS AND PREMISES at Newcastle Railway Station, from January 1, 1913, to December 31, 1914. Full particulars, Railway Refreshment Rooms and Advertising Manager, 4 O'Connell-street, Sydney.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1912.

THE SUPPLY AND ERECTION OF VENTILATING PIPING for Ultimo Power House. Specification No. 395 (price 2/6) obtainable at the Electrical Engineer's Office, 61 Hunter-street, Sydney.

THE WORKING OF THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER'S SHIPPING APPLIANCES ON THE PYRMONT JETTIES AT DARLING HARBOUR. Particulars, Goods Manager's Office, Challis House, Martin-place, Sydney.

THE SUPPLY OF 8000 25FT TELEGRAPH POLES. Particulars, Divisional Engineers at Sydney and Newcastle Stations.

THE SUPPLY OF THE UNDERMENTIONED TIMBERS from January 1 to June 30, 1913:—
Metropolitan District.—Arris Rails, sawn palings, round posts, and piles.
Newcastle District.—Baltic, Hoop Pine, Redwood, Architraves, Arris Rails, sawn palings, and piles.
Particulars, Railway Stores, Wilson-street, Newtown.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1912.

THE SUPPLY OF 40,000 YARDS OF 48IN CANVAS. Preliminary deposit £20. Further particulars, Railway Stores, Wilson-street, Newtown.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 2, 1913.

THE MANUFACTURE AND SUPPLY OF TEN TRAMWAY MOTOR BOILERS to specification No. 391, (price 5s), Obtainable at the Electrical Engineer's Office, 61 Hunter-street, Sydney.

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MONDAY, 9th DECEMBER, 1912.

Programmes, with full particulars, may be had on application.

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MEETINGS.

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NOTICE is hereby given that a GENERAL MEETING of the Members of the Equitable Permanent Benefit, Building, Land, and Savings Institution will be held at the Institution's Offices, PITT and PARK STREETS, CITY, on 17th day of DECEMBER, 1912, at 11.30 o'clock a.m., for the ALTERATION OF THE RULES of the said Institution, in the following respects:—

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(b) Rule 17. Insert after the word "£500" in the first line the words "each and half-shares £25 each," and after the words "2/6 per share" in the third line, "or 1/3 a half-share," and after the words "1/6 per share" in the fourth line "or 9d a half-share," and after the words "for each share" in the eighth line the words "or £25 for each half-share," and after the words "amount of £50" in the ninth line the words "for each share, or £25 for each half-share," and after the word "share" in the tenth line "or half share."

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BUSINESS.

1. "Some Crystal Measurements of Chillagite," by Miss C. D. Smith, B.Sc., and Leo A. Cotton, B.A., B.Sc.
2. "The occurrence of the Genus Sporangium in the Hawkesbury Series," by W. S. Dun.
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In the aggregate 15,131 runs have been scored for the loss of 712 wickets, giving an average of 21.24 runs per wicket. It will be noticed that Balmain, North Sydney, University, and Redfern, are better than the average in both batting and bowling. The batting of Glebe and Paddington, and the bowling of Gordon, Sydney and Waverley, are above the average; but Burwood, Central Cumberland, Middle Harbour, and Petersham, fail to reach the standard in either department.

THE TURF.

DEFEAT OF PRINCE PALATINE

The result of the race for the Jockey Club Cup at Newmarket on October 31 provided one of the greatest surprises of the season. Prince Palatine, who had won the Eclipse Stakes, Doncaster Cup, and Jockey Club Stakes in successive races, was only opposed by Aleppo, who had gained brackets once this year in nine essays. The event was regarded as practically a walk-over, and odds of 20 to 1 were asked for by bookmakers from those who desired to support the Whatcombe crack. A catastrophe was in store, however, for when it came to racing from the bushes the Manton colt was going as well as Prince Palatine. Wootton, who had the mount on the favourite, was observed to pick up his whip, but the response was of the faintest. The jockey changed his whip into his left hand, though meanwhile Aleppo galloped on smoothly and defeated the favourite by half-a-dozen lengths, Whalley being on the winner.

Referring to the defeat of Mr. Pilkington's great horse, the special commissioner of the London "Sportsman" remarks:—

"This has been in the past a most fatal race for high-class animals who have been "let up" towards the close of the season with the idea of its being a walk-over or something equivalent. Mr. Purefoy declared Prince Palatine to be thoroughly well, and so no doubt he was, but it needed only a glance at him to see that he was soft and beefy, the muscle on his shoulders shaking almost like jelly as he walked round. He has won his races on an easy preparation throughout the year, and would never need the ordeal of work which his sire, Persimmon, had to go through, but there is a limit in the way of light preparations, and this had been clearly passed. It is nothing against those concerned in the management of Prince Palatine to say this, and it is only justice to such a great and valuable horse that it should be said. He has been very hard run this year, and it was only natural for a trainer to give him an easy time in view of a probable walk-over. Again and again the same thing has been done. Corrie Roy, William the Third, Santoi, St. Maclou, were all beaten in similar circumstances, and other famous winners who went down for lack of condition at the tail end of the season may be mentioned in Minting, Orme, and Ladas. On this occasion the going was heavy, and the Cesarewitch course needed a lot of doing. Aleppo was hard and clean, and in receipt of 11lb. The result, therefore, was not altogether surprising, for it was a pretty good gallop, under the conditions, as the time, 4m 10 2-5s, proves. It was a great pity, but such an episode in the career of such a horse is speedily forgotten if only his people do not make the mistake of insisting that he was thoroughly fit and well.

DEATH OF SEATON DELAVEL

The well-known stallion Seaton Delavel, died at Motiti Island, on the east coast of New Zealand, last week. Seaton Delavel, who was bred in England in 1883 by Mr. M. E. Bedlington, was by Melton—Rosedale, by Rotherhill—Miss Rose, by King Tom—Couleur de Rose, by West Australian. As a yearling he was put up for sale, and was bought by the Duke of Portland for 760 guineas. In 1894, however, he was again submitted for auction, and was bought for Mr. L. D. Nathan, of Auckland, for 260 guineas. He was located at the Sylvia Park Stud until 1903, when he was bought on behalf of the Wellington Stud Company for 1700 guineas, but two years later, when the company got into financial difficulties, he was again sold, this time for 500 guineas.

At the stud, Seaton Delavel sired a number of winners, the best of his progeny being undoubtedly Gladsome, while Nenette and Master Delavel were both good performers. He twice topped the winning sires in New Zealand, first in 1901-2, when his representatives credited him with £10,345 10s, and again in 1906-7, when his total was £9114. In all, during the years 1898 to 1912, his representatives earned over £80,000 in stakes. Still trainers were never particularly enamoured of his stock, it being a fairly general opinion that they were inclined to be weakly.

During the last couple of years Seaton Delavel had been on the decline, so his death was not altogether unexpected.

NOTES.

His Majesty was represented in the Ditch Mile Welter Handicap at headquarters on October 30 by Dorando, and the King went into the paddock with Lord Marcus Beresford to see his colt saddled. It was raining heavily, but his Majesty did not put up his umbrella. Dorando looked in good trim, though 10st was a big impost in such holding ground, and Sheiswell, who had a light weight, showed in front all the way, Dorando, who was giving the winner 28lb, finishing sixth. The winning-post was nearly half a mile away from the stands, but the King, scorning a carriage, walked down to see the end of the race, and also returned on foot. Dorando is a good horse, but the weight was prohibitive.

The Projectile mare Mulpera, who, in her day, was a smart performer at the unregistered meetings, has foaled a colt to Mr. G. Paine's champion pony Bruce, who last year was invincible in his class at the A.R.C. fixtures. If the present intentions are adhered to, Bruce will shortly join the active service brigade in the metropolis.

Mr. E. de Mestre, a son of the veteran Mr. "Ettie" de Mestre, who won the first two Melbourne Cups with Archer, and who for many years was among the foremost racing men in Australia, was a winner at Haydock Park, England, just before the last mail left. He won the White Lodge Selling Nursery Handicap of 100 sovs, with an unnamed filly by the Sydney-bred Australian Star from Tirara. The winner started at 6 to 1, and was bought in for 55gns.

Equitas, who was a smart performer in New Zealand, has been retired from the track, and will be mated with Mr. J. B. Reid's imported horse, Kilbroney.

The two three-year-old fillies, Flask, by Malister—Pendant, and Coolamatong, by Perambulator—Grand Canary, who have been spelling at Bringenbong, have been put into work again by Walter Hickenbotham.

The popular Parramatta sportsman, Mr. F. S. Anderson, had the misfortune last week to lose his brood mare, Fortunate, by Fortunatus (imp.)—Splenda. Fortunate was in foal to imported Petrillo, but died as the result of an operation, in which twin foals had to be taken from her.

Frank Wootton, who, we are informed by cable, headed the list of winning jockeys in England again this season, although born in Australia, has never ridden here. His first riding was done in South Africa, where his father at the time had a large stable. He started riding in England in 1906, and succeeded in riding 16 winners that year. So far his best season was 1911, when he had 187 winning mounts.

Cisco, who has not won a race since he won the A.J.C. Derby, was after his return from Melbourne added to the list of geldings.

The English-bred two-year-old filly by Volodyoski—Imperialism, who was recently purchased from Dr. Leach by Mr. N. F. Faulkner, has gone into J. Scobie's stable.

The stewards of the French Jockey Club have just had before them an appeal which has attracted considerable attention. At the provincial race meeting at Chalon-sur-Saone, held last July, the principal race was the Prix de la Ville de Chalon-sur-Saone, a handicap, run over a distance of one mile and a quarter on the flat. Five horses went to the post for this event, and after galloping about 200 yards they found the course obstructed by a hurdle, which a man in the service of the race society had placed in error. One of the competitors stopped altogether, and another ran out of the course; but the other three jumped the hurdle, and completed the race, the first past the winning post being the Marquis de Tracy's Canga. The owners of the horses placed second and third thereupon lodged an objection to the winner on the ground of irregularity. The local stewards, after some deliberation, declared the race null, and ordered it to be run again at the end of the programme. Against this decision the Marquis de Tracy appealed; but the high tribunal has given the case against him, and decided that the local stewards acted right in ordering the race to be run over again, as, according to the rules of racing, a horse taking part in a flat race must accomplish the stipulated distance, not only without leaving the track, but also without jumping any obstacle within its limit.

After many years, racing is to be resumed on the Wyndham Racecourse. Recently a new club was formed, and the following were appointed a committee:—Messrs. D. Canny, John Beamish, jun., P. Hickey, M. Cunningham, L. V. Crawford, D. Hogan, D. Ryan, V. Austin, M. Newtown, C. Sinn, M. Wall, and C. Lancaster. The balance-sheet showed a credit of £46. At the conclusion of the ballot a committee meeting was held, at which Mr. M. Wall was unanimously elected chairman, Mr. John Beamish, jun., vice-chairman, Mr. J. H. Wood hon. secretary, and Mr. V. Austin hon. treasurer.

A half-sister by Penury to Lady Kyogle has been put into work at Casino.

Mr. J. H. S. Barnes, of Lyndhurst station, Townsville, has purchased the training stables recently occupied by W. Mooney, at Hendra, Brisbane.

It has been arranged that Black Bess, the dam of Recorder, will be mated with the imported horse Son of the Marsh, who is now doing stud duty in the Corowa district.

Mr. M. Staniforth, artist, of this city, has just finished a presentment in water-colours of the retired champion racehorse Trafalgar, and has succeeded in reproducing a spirited and lifelike portrait of the bold conformation and rich chestnut colouring of the famous son of Wallace.

Referring to the rumour that his Majesty contemplated relinquishing blood stock raising and racing, the "Special Commissioner" writes in the London "Sportsman" of October 26, as follows:—"I am enabled to state on authority which is absolutely beyond question that there is no vestige of foundation for any such report. The King is very keenly interested in his stud and stables, and his interest has increased rather than diminished since he first saw his colours carried. There has never at any time been any inclination on his part to abandon a sport which he enjoys, and it is little short of scandalous that ignorant busybodies should vamp up rumours of the sort to which I am now referring. Nothing but a malignant hatred of the turf can have inspired the invention of such a grossly untrue fabrication, and it is high time that this should be put on record—as I now put it—in terms which cannot be misunderstood."

Herb of Grace, a two-year-old filly by Spearmint, the son of Carbine, won the Two-year-old Plate at Sandown Park last month. The winner's price was 10 to 1.

The following are the names which have been registered for the horses recently imported into Western Australia from England by Mr. James Nicholas:—Three-year-old bay filly, by Radium—Gaylass, Miss Hades; three-year-old chestnut filly, by Mardi—Tinsel, Silverfoil; three-year-old bay filly, by Bachelor's Button—Chiffon, Point Lace; two-year-old bay colt, by Isinglass—Haughty Culloid; two-year-old bay colt, by Littleton—Dark Eye, Glad Eye; two-year-old brown colt, by Grey Leg—Dulcemara, Greymara; three-year-old bay colt, by Berrill—Little Celin, Chief Secretary.

FIXTURES.

Newcastle J.C., Dec. 4.
Ascot R.C., Dec. 4.
Scone J.C., Dec. 5 and 6.
Warwick Farm R.C., Dec. 7.
Ascot R.C., Dec. 7.
Maitland J.C., Dec. 7.
Wollongong J.C., Dec. 10.
Rosebery R.C., Dec. 11.
Bellata R.C., Dec. 11.
Booligal J.C., Dec. 12.
Nymboida J.C., Dec. 13.
Bowraville J.C., Dec. 14.
Clan A.R.C., Dec. 20.
Terry Hie Hie R.C., Dec. 18.
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Nymagee, Dec. 26.
Fifield J.C., Dec. 26.
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Nundle J.C., Dec. 26.
Gwydir J.C., Dec. 26.
Bookham J.C., Dec. 26.

BILLIARDS.

PROPOSED ALTERATIONS IN GAME.

H. W. Stevenson reproduced in his second game the excellent form with which he opened the English billiard season. After defeating Cook by the aid of his three great breaks of over 500, 700, and 1000, the ex-champion conceded Falkiner, a promising young player, 2250 in 6000. Even with that generous start, Falkiner had no chance, for Stevenson, who played delightful billiards, ran out a winner by 2154 points. For the whole game the winner had the marvellous average of 75—figures that have only been exceeded twice in modern billiards, and in each instance by the champion himself. George Gray, of course, has had better averages for a long game, but for purposes of comparison it is now usual to exclude the Australian's figures, as he is in a class by himself.

An average of 40 is regarded as being a fine one for even the best player nowadays in important long-game matches, the usual average being between that figure and 36. The latter was John Robert's average for a whole season when he was at the zenith of form about 12 years ago, just after the abolition of the "push" stroke. So it will be noted that Stephenson's late average is truly great, and emphasises the benefit, from a health standpoint, which he received from his late South African tour with George Gray.

Mr. J. C. Parke, who was mainly responsible for the defeat of Australasia in the Davis Cup Lawn Tennis Contest, is almost as clever with the billiard cue as with the racket. For several years he has been classed amongst the best billiard-players in Ireland, and on one occasion was only narrowly defeated by Mr. J. Nugent, the Irish amateur champion. Billiards and football have been factors in Mr. Parke's nerve and speed for the other ball game in which he has so greatly distinguished himself during the past week.

The deaths of two billiard enthusiasts were announced a few days ago—Dr. Burke, D.D., in Sydney, and E. B. Dwyer, in England. The former gentleman was rarely absent from any session during the big matches in recent few years. Lindrum and Smith were his favourites, and he was always enthusiastic when either player did anything out of the ordinary. "Ben" Dwyer, a dozen years back, in the heyday of his cricket and football career, gave promise of developing into a first-class amateur billiardist, who might have won an amateur championship had he remained in Australia. As an all-round athlete Dwyer had few superiors.

Reece and Inman are likely to meet shortly in a match of some length. Although the champion is handicapped to concede Reece 1000 in 9000 in the London tournament, there would probably be nothing much between the pair were they to meet on level terms, that is, judging by their display in Sydney recently, when Reece defeated his old opponent without the aid of a handicap in a game of 18,000 up. His position as champion presumably demands that Inman should concede a start to all other players in England.

Another movement is afoot in England to alter the method of scoring, and also the method of calculation now in vogue. It is asked: Why should a red hazard count three and a white hazard only two points? It is claimed that both hazards should have the same value. Another query is: Why should the red be re-spotted after being holed, while the white goes off the table? Reformers ask that both balls be treated alike, and put on the billiard centre-spots respectively. The colour of the three balls also comes in for criticism. If the spot-white were replaced by a soft yellow there would be little chance of the wrong ball being played with by a striker after a double-strength mix-up shot.

By the present method of calculation one player might make 10 red hazards, 5 white hazards, and 5 cannons in 50 up, and his opponent might make the same number of hazards off the white, score the same number of cannons, and secure five red hazards; yet his total would be only 45. Each player would have made the same number of hazards and cannons, yet because in the latter case the majority were white hazards the striker would be penalised five points.

Another contention is that misses should not be added to opponent's total. Instead, they might be deducted from the striker's score. By this method the opponent would not receive points that he had no hand in the making. The idea of substituting a light yellow for the spot white ball is a good one, but the re-spotting of the white ball when holed might tend to make break-making too easy, and lead to mammoth runs, which would lose value when compared with breaks made under the present code.

GOLF.

OPEN COMPETITION AT DOBROYDE.

CLUB COMPETITIONS.

THE NEW RULES.

The Dobroyde Club held an open competition on Saturday, and though, on account of the lateness of the season, the entry was not extraordinary, a fair field "faced the starter," and some good golf was witnessed. The handicap prize was won by J. S. Darton, a local member, who, rather liberally handicapped at 16, eclipsed all previous records by himself by going round in 89—16=73. It was Darton's first success for quite a long time. He has lately been taking lessons from the club professional, Johnston, with considerable benefit to his game. He was out in 41, and required 48 to come back. W. B. Fairfax, who ran second with 82—5=77, played an excellent long game, but his approaches were at times weak. At the 17th, for instance, after being hole high with his second, he foozled three approaches, and the hole cost him 7. A. R. Marks and Dr. Abernethy were close up with scores of 78 net.

The trophy for the player returning the best gross score was secured by W. C. Sturrock, late of Morton Hall G.C., Edinburgh, where he was a scratch player. He got into bad trouble in the bunker guarding the first green, and took 8, but thereafter played splendid golf, and, notwithstanding his bad start, was out in 38. Coming back he did not do quite so well, and took 42, but nevertheless equalled the record for the course, held by G. B. Thomas. His card read:—

Out .... 8, 4, 3, 4, 4, 3, 6, 3, 3—38
In .... 5, 5, 5, 5, 3, 6, 4, 5, 4—42
—80

Sturrock is joining the Dobroyde Club, and should prove a great acquisition to the club's A team next season. He should be able to hold his own with most of our best players, and with a little additional stiffening Dobroyde should make a better showing in the A-grade matches than previously. It may be mentioned that the Dobroyde course on Saturday was, with the possible exception of the approaches, in excellent condition. The club may well be advised to devote particular attention to the improvement of the fairways within 40 yards of the greens.

The silver medal at Manly was won by L. J. Berckelman with 84—11=73. His handicap was unaccountably liberal, and a mistake must surely have been made somewhere, for he is a player who has played A-grade golf with fair success, both with Bonnie Doon and Parramatta. On the whole, he played good golf, his long game being really good; but he lost strokes on the greens, missing at least six reasonable putts. On the seventeenth he was on the green with his tee shot, but took 4 putts. He was out in 40 and back in 44, and it is unlikely that he will ever play at Manly again with an 11 handicap.

Dr. Thomas signalised his first appearance in the A grade by returning a good card of 90—14=76, while H. Milford won the B grade medal with a very fair card of 100—22=78. In the course of the competition two men were very properly disqualified for breaches of the rules—a fact which should bring home to every golfer the necessity of thoroughly grounding himself in the laws of the game.

W. G. Parish, playing to the seventh, lost his ball, and after searching for probably the regulation five minutes returned to the place from which he had played, and dropped another ball. On his way to play his next shot he found the first ball, and, discarding his second, played on with his first. Neither he nor his partner knew exactly what to do, and took the wrong course; but, reporting it on the completion of the round, he was duly disqualified, as was only right. There is, and should be, no excuse for ignorance of the rules. The second case was that of W. Kither, who returned a card of 101—24=77, good enough to win in the B grade, but was disqualified for a breach of rule 4 special rules for stroke competitions, by reason of having played on the greens before starting out to play.

A driving competition from the first tee was held, D. G. Ferrier proving the most consistent driver with three drives totalling 654yds 2ft 4in, beating his nearest opponent by over 50yds in the aggregate. The longest drive was to the credit of J. R. D. Scott, who got one excellent shot of 257yds 2ft, but failed with his others.

At Killara C. E. Graham won the silver putter in the A grade with a good round of 81—4—77. Going out he played very well, and reached the turn in 38, but fell away coming home, taking 43. His long game was at times weak, but he made amends on the greens, holing a number of excellent putts. The B grade players carried off the honours of the day, Joseph Thompson winning the coveted silver buttons with a very good score of 92—19—73. Thompson is a very steady player, and this is his first success for some time. He was closely followed by C. W. Cox with 90—15—75, and by W. Ruhfus with 105—29—76.

Some good cards were returned at Concord. F. D. Layton (3) and W. Allen (8) tying in the bogey competition with cards of 2 up. Both played excellent golf. Layton has for some time been a strong player, but Allen is a comparative novice, who has, nevertheless, come along very well during the last 12 months, and with a little application will make a sterling player. His round of 82 is one of the best he has yet accomplished. R. H. Mears (1), Mr. Justice Sly (16), and A. E. Dawkins (15) equalled for next place with cards of square.

At Hunter's Hill R. C. Lethbridge won with an excellent round of 81—11—70. He was out in 39, and was going very well on the home journey until at the sixteenth he drove into the dam and took 7. Notwithstanding this disastrous hole, he was back in 42, and played good golf with few mistakes, his putting being particularly good. A. S. Edwards was second with 80—8—72. J. Holt was 73 net, and four others were 74 net. They have evidently reduced handicapping to a fine art at Hunter's Hill.

H. A. Howden has been exhibiting very fine form lately, and during the week recorded a brilliant 72 at Rose Bay, his figures being:—

Out ...... 4, 4, 3, 3, 5, 2, [illegible]—34
In .... 4, 4, 4, 5, 5, 4, 3, [illegible]
—72

Dr. Furber, a long mark man, won the stroke competition at Bonnie Doon with a good card of 97—23=74, winning by two strokes from T. C. Aldcorn, who returned 89—13—76. P. E. Russell had the best gross score with a [illegible]-played 82, which though not by any means equal to his best round, is still a good performance.

The monthly medal at Drummoyne was won with ease by A. R. Watt, with 87—11—76, his nearest competitor, H. W. McLelland, being five strokes away.

The gentlemen of the Royal and Ancient Club who were responsible for the recent alterations of the rules of the game have, since their decision was made public, been subjected to a great deal of hostile criticism on the part of press and public in Great Britain. The attack has been caused, partly by the alterations themselves, and partly by the delay on the part of the rules committee in making them known to press and public. There is apparently a strong feeling in British golfing circles that St. Andrews is far too fond of tampering with the rules, and that on this occasion, at least, there was no necessity for any change.

As to the alterations themselves, the provision that clubs may make their own local rules respecting balls played out of bounds comes in for most criticism, and rightly so. It is much better to have uniformity than to have one club penalising an out-of-bounds shot by loss of stroke and distance, while at the next one, loss of distance is the only penalty. One general rule, even though it operated more harshly on one course than another, would be preferable to having a different out of bounds rule on every course. However, the governing body sits through it all as imperturbable as ever, notwithstanding a distinct tendency to try a new scheme of golf government, in which the sole control would not rest with St. Andrews.

The Manly summer programme will be advanced another stage on Saturday, when the open foursomes championship of Manly links will be played, as well as handicap foursomes, and a driving competition. The course is in splendid order and a large entry may be expected. Entries close to-day.

FIXTURES.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7.
Bonnie Doon Golf Club: Bogey match.
Concord Golf Club: Continuous handicap stroke.
Dobroyde Golf Club: Four-ball bogey competition.
Drummoyne Golf Club: Mixed foursomes.
Hunter's Hill Golf Club: Play-off of winners of monthly continuous bogey competition for Mr. H. R. Lysaght's trophy.
Manly Golf Club: Open foursomes championship of Manly links, 18 holes stroke; open handicap foursomes; open driving competition.

MOTORING.

AUTOMOBILE CLUB OF AUSTRALIA.

The newly-elected general committee of the Automobile Club of Australia will hold its first meeting at the clubrooms, Challis House, to-morrow night. The main business will be the appointment of a sub-committee for the ensuing year. The principal sub-committees are those of the roads, tours, and entertainment.

Mr. A. A. Hunter, a popular vice-president of the A.C.A., will leave Sydney in a few days. He intends visiting India and Europe.

The membership of the A.C.A. is steadily increasing. The club does not canvass for members, on the other hand it is rather conservative, hence the annual increase in the membership roll must be doubly gratifying to those interested in the club's welfare. At the monthly meeting last Thursday night five new members were elected—Messrs. Chas. M'Kenzie, Chas. S. Turner, W. C. Archibald, F. R. Pendleton, and Richard Stanton.

NOTES.

A number of expert American automobile drivers indulged in a game of polo recently, in which the part of the ponies was taken by stripped motor cars. The game was played in three 10-minute series. The goals were 60ft apart, and in the whirlwind driving one of the cars turned a complete somersault, without, however, injuring anybody.

The popularity of the cycle car in England has grown so, and its development is so rapid, that many motoring experts are now predicting that this simple and cheap type of motor vehicle will prove the answer to the influx of cheap American runabouts into Great Britain. The cycle car is simpler even than the light runabout car, and what is more important can be marketed at a cheaper figure. It is a type of machine that will appeal to a great many people who do not fancy the motor bicycle, and cannot afford the luxury of a motor car. The economy of upkeep, handiness and convenience of storage, promise a good future for the cycle car, which must not be confused with the light motor car. This type of machine is a well-built four wheeler with air-cooled engine (usually twin-cylinders), chain drive, with a two or three speed countershaft gear. The frame is built up of heavy gauge steel tubing. The wheelbase is about 6ft with a 4ft track, 26in wheel, with 2½ tyres, usually fitted, the result being a stable and low-built machine of rakish appearance. The power of engines fitted runs from about 7 to 10 horse-power, and the total weight of the vehicle complete is about 7cwt. The retail price in London varies according to style of body fitted from £100 to £135. On Brooklands Track, Eng., one of these little vehicles has covered 47 miles 830 yards in one hour, and 100 miles in two hours 25 mins. On the road they are comfortable and fast and good hill-climbers.

Serious accidents have happened to motorists through broken glass screens. An English company has adopted an idea, which is to substitute the ordinary sheet of plate-glass with a screen composed of two sheets of glass with a celluloid centrepiece. The presence of the latter has the effect of preventing the glass from falling to pieces. The glass and celluloid are pressed together hydraulically with gelatine as a binding material. When fitted it is quite impossible to tell the composite screen from the ordinary plate glass, as it is thoroughly transparent, and is not dull. The invention is known as the Triplex safety glass.

France was among the first to recognise the motor lorry for army transport service, and has developed a subsidy plan, which has been largely followed by the other European Governments. Under this plan the French Government has at its command, in case of war, upward of 2000 motor lorries, or the equivalent of at least 12,000 horses. The owners of the motors receive from the Government for each vehicle £120 at the time of purchase, and £40 for each of the three following years—a total of £240. In return the owner has to keep the vehicle in running order, and hand it over to the Government, with its driver, on demand. Motor lorries eligible for this subsidy must be adapted for army transport service. There are held annually in France, under the direction of the War Department, trials, in which all manufacturers of motor lorries are invited to compete.

MOTOR CYCLE CLUB OF N.S.W.

The Motor Cycle Club of New South Wales will hold the second competition for the Speedwell Cup on Saturday afternoon at the Centennial Park (Randwick gates entrance), at 2.30 sharp. The following are the conditions:—Competitors will ride in heats of six between two official cars at a set speed; the competitor whose engine stops from any cause, or drops behind the rear car, will be considered out of the competition. As each competitor drops out his distance will be checked by the actual reading of the speedometer.

Speed gears and free engines to be locked. Any competitor not starting will lose the full number of points. Petrol tins will be supplied by the club. No competitor will be allowed to start unless he has supplied the following before to-morrow, at noon, to the secretary, J. A. Fair, 244 Pitt-street:—Number of cylinders, bore and stroke, horse-power, weight of rider, weight of machine. Catalogue weights not accepted.

Handicappers have right to question a competitor if the statement made is doubtful.

The following riders will start:—

H. Jenkins, 3½ T.T. Bradbury; E. Miller, 3½ T.T. Speedwell; F. Scott, 3½ Rover; C. Petersen, 3½ Singer; E. Goodwin, 7 L.M.C.; T. Ross, 3½ T.T. L.M.C.; F. G. [illegible], 8 T.T. Sarolea; R. L. Fletcher, 3½ B.S.A.; N. Linnen, 3½ Norton; C. White, 3½ Rudge; A. G. Bain, 5 Matchless; I. Bigg, 3½ T.T. B.S.A.; A. Robinson, 3½ Rudge; A. Metcalfe, 2¾ Humber; F. Rose, 3½ Triumph; H. Wayland, 5 Matchless; G. English, 3½ Premier; A. Hargreaves, 3½ Rover; G. Sandring, 3½ Speedwell; J. E. Richards, 3½ L.M.C.; I. Carrington, 3 Calthorpe; A. Zock, 3½ Speedwell; L. Palmer, 5 Rona; A. Willard, 3½ L.M.C.; E. McGree, 3½ Triumph; E. Robinson, 3½ Rover; H. Bartlett, 5 Rex; W. Bunting, 3½ Sarolea; A. Brown, 3½ N.S.U.; N. Fraser, 5 Speedwell; W. S. J. Barnes, 3½ Lewis; A. Smith, 5 Speedwell; H. Roberts, 3½ L.M.C.; F. Tate, 3½ Gitton.

The club will meet next Thursday week, December 19, when the final entries will be received for the great annual interstate reliability trial between Melbourne and Sydney. Entries will close December 20 with the hon. secretary, J. A. Fair, 244 Pitt-street. The entries to date total 28, and this year's event promises to eclipse all records.

CYCLING.

THE SIX DAYS' RACE.

Next Saturday is the closing day for entries for the sprint cycle and athletic events to be run in conjunction with the six days' bicycle race, starting on the Sydney Cricket Ground on December 30. The complete list of the teams is also to be expected next week, as the men are settling down to pair off. The trouble is that while A is prepared to team with B, the latter has a preference for D as a partner, and so on. However, the promoters do not anticipate any difficulty in securing the requisite number of teams. An alteration in the numbering system for the teams will be made for this race. In January last the competitors carried Nos. 1, 2, 3, and 4, and so on. This year each team will have one number. For instance, the first team on the list will be No. 1, and each member of the team will carry that number, the only difference being that in one instance the number will be black on white, and the other red on white.

CRICKET.

THE GRADE MATCHES.

FIFTH ROUND CONCLUDED.

INTERESTING RESULTS.

Stirring finishes and unexpected results characterised the conclusion of the fifth round of first-grade matches on Saturday. In only one match was the issue decided early in the afternoon, whilst in all but one of the remainder, match interest was sustained right up to the drawing of stumps. As regards results, the outright wins recorded by Gordon and Redfern were as unexpected as they were meritorious. Moreover, the splendid effort made by Balmain, the closeness of the North Sydney-University encounter, and the very big winning margin achieved by Central Cumberland over Middle Harbour were alike surprising. Another result was the re-shuffling of the positions of many of the clubs in the competition tables, the most important changes being the advance of Redfern into second position, and the falling back of Balmain and Waverley. North Sydney and University having played a draw, their relative positions remain unaltered.

It is one of the leading characteristics of the method of scoring that, except for drawn matches, the relative positions of teams is always in a state of constant flux, and it is this continual liability to change that makes the competition results so interesting and the play so attractive. In these respects Saturday's matches were even more entertaining than usual, and they afford an excellent illustration of the influence of the competition upon the spirit and character of the play. The fact that a first innings deficit means a loss of two competition points, and also that an extra point is allotted for an outright victory, are splendid inducements for the side behind on the first innings to use every endeavour to reverse the position. This method of scoring makes for unselfish play, the success of the individual being reckoned merely incidental and secondary, to that of the side, although, as a matter of fact, it is this very success of the side that adds lustre to the chief contributing factor—the success of the individual.

No better illustration of all this, perhaps, could be adduced than the victory of Gordon on Saturday, and the phenomenal success achieved by C. G. Macartney. Gordon began the second day's play with two wickets in hand and 59 runs to get to save the first innings defeat. Hopes of a first innings lead were soon dissipated when the two outstanding wickets fell with the addition of only one run. The two points victory seemed a certainty for Waverley, but the brilliant success of Macartney with the ball, and his clever batting subsequently, completely reversed the positions. He had the remarkable analysis of seven for 29 (six clean bowled), whilst with the bat he made 42 not out, add to these his five wickets for 44 runs and 16 (top score) of the first innings, and it will at once be apparent what a colossal share he had in the victory, and what good cause Waverley have to remember the renewal of their cricketing acquaintance with Macartney.

BACK TO GRADE CRICKET.

R. B. Minnett, the only other returned Australian eleven representative taking part in the last round, also made an auspicious re-entry into grade cricket. He top-scored for the University, and also helped very considerably towards placing his side in a position of comparative safety by securing a couple of good wickets. It was not one of his best displays with the bat, however, for although he made some splendid strokes, notably an off-drive off Hopkins (the finest stroke of the match) and a "sixer" to leg off Dr. Hordern, quite a number of his runs came from lucky snicks on both sides of the wicket. It must be said for him, however, that he alone of the 'Varsity batsmen showed any real ability to play the "bosie" bowler, and in doing so he used his pads with nice judgment—an English accomplishment. No doubt this innings should do his form a lot of good.

NORTH SYDNEY AND UNIVERSITY "DRAW."

A fine crowd turned out on Saturday to see the North Sydney-University match in anticipation of some good cricket and a keen struggle. In both respects expectations were fully realised, the tit-bits of the day being the magnificent bowling of Dr. Hordern, and the merry batting of A. E. Johnston. Seldom has the former been seen to better advantage. Over after over he sent them down with wonderful accuracy and precision of length, despite the fact that he was not feeling well, and he also managed to impart an amazing amount of guile into his deliveries. Six of his seven victims were clean bowled, Gregg round his legs, and Farrar with a beautiful "bosie," but the most wily ball of all, perhaps, was that which trapped Toser out of his ground. It was all very fine bowling.

Johnston's 69 is his highest score and best innings this season for North Sydney. Ordinarily a quick scorer and a very busy batsman, he kept his natural tendencies splendidly under restraint after the dismissal of his early comrades. His driving was very powerful, and his hitting generally beautifully timed; it was a very good piece of batting, attractive to watch, and very valuable to his side.

DR. HORDERN HAS ANOTHER DAY OUT.

The batting of Dr. Hordern, too, deserves special mention. The "bosie" champion is a particularly hard man to get out when he does not want to; he has a wonderful eye, a clever defence, and an inexhaustible fund of patience, all of which attributes he produced on Saturday to help his side out of a most awkward predicament. Altogether it was his day out on Saturday, in the first instance, his remarkably fine bowling made a win for his side a possibility, and then later, when that disappeared, he warded off the impending defeat by his cool and studied determination. Seven wickets for 90 and 37 not out was his record for the match, and it is one in the manner of its making rather than its magnitude that even a confident internationalist may look back upon with satisfaction.

EXCITING FINISH.

There was a lot of excitement crammed into the last few overs. The University captain changed his bowling very frequently (unnecessarily, so it seemed), the fieldsmen could not get to their posts quick enough between overs, whilst the two batsmen, Dr. Hordern and E. J. Long, were unmoved by the frantic efforts of their opponents to dislodge them. Had either got out, only H. G. Long remained to go in, as H. Cooper was an absentee (a victim to pleurisy). It was a pity this important match did not reach finality.

WHEATLEY MAKES HIGHEST SCORE.

It is a noteworthy fact, perhaps, that last round passed without a century being recorded in the first grade competition. The credit of the highest score belongs to G. Wheatley, of Balmain, who played a splendid innings for 94 against Paddington. The full merit of Wheatley's performance only becomes apparent when the circumstances under which the runs were made are considered. He went in with the board showing six out for 37 runs in response to Paddington's 219, and he stayed there till the end of the innings, being last man out when only 16 runs were required for victory. In partnership with Myers, he inaugurated this splendid recovery, 63 runs being put on for the seventh wicket; but it was the partnership with Daley for the ninth wicket that completed the recovery and almost brought victory to his side. Together they added 91 runs, 72 of which were made by Wheatley. At this stage, when in a winning position—29 runs behind—Daley was run out, and a few minutes later, in attempting to force the game, Wheatley was bowled by Sayle. The finish was very exciting, but the chief credit for making it so belongs almost entirely to Wheatley, whose splendid effort deserved to be rewarded with three figure distinction.

THE FASHIONABLE SIXTY.

Several half-centuries were made on Saturday, but the fashionable figures seemed to be in the sixties. A. E. Johnston made 69, R. Barry 67, H. Cranney 66, J. B. O'Neill 64, not out, and R. B. Minnett 63. The three Central Cumberland players revelled in the Middle Harbour bowling, which they hit about the Sydney Cricket Ground with the greatest freedom. Barry was tremendously aggressive. He made his runs after the match had been won, still, the vigour of his play and the power of his hitting were alike worthy of more than passing notice. He hit nine fours and two sixes. Cranney was hardly less dashing, and he, too, gave a brilliant display. His timing and placing were excellent, as is evidenced from the proportionately large number of boundaries (eleven fours) in his score. O'Neill was more sedate in his methods, but he played a very nice innings, sound and neat.

SEVEN WICKETS IN AN INNINGS.

To capture seven wickets in an innings is not altogether a rare occurrence in first-grade cricket, but the fact that no fewer than four bowlers succeeded in doing so as a result of Saturday's play is, perhaps, worthy of special notice. The merit of the performance, too, is greatly enhanced by the fact that the wickets were hard and true, and distinctly in favour of good batsmanship. That we have bowlers capable of doing so well under such conditions is a matter of pleasurable contemplation, as is also the fact that included in Saturday's list is the name of one bowler, E. Coffey, who has only recently joined the ranks of first-graders, though he is anything but a colt. Coffey took seven wickets for 87 on Saturday, and his bowling created a very favourable impression. He is likely to be a tremendous acquisition to the Sydney forces, for with the bat he has also shown marked ability and promising form. The bowling of C. G. Macartney (seven for 29), S. Lloyd (seven for 51), and Dr. Hordern (seven for 90) has already been referred to, but it is interesting to note the other most successful bowlers on Saturday. R. F. Harvey (six for 64), W. Jesson (five for 40), R. C. Coogan (four for 121), and B. Shortland (three for 11), are all bowlers of the leg-break type.

TRUMPER'S TESTIMONIAL.

The decision of the New South Wales Cricket Association to honour Victor Trumper with a testimonial match on January 31 and following days meets with the cordial approval of the entire cricketing community. The claims of our champion batsman to such recognition are, of course, well and widely known. His skill with the bat has been unique; its contemplation has brought pleasure and delight to thousands, not only in this country, but all the world over. The opportunity, therefore, of showing their appreciation of those manifold spectacular delights in some small but tangible way should be gladly welcomed by those thousands, especially in New South Wales. Moreover, Trumper's wonderful batting has been one of the most potent factors in the maintenance of Australia's cricket reputation during recent years; just how much we owe the great batsman on that account it would indeed be hard to estimate, but it is a great deal. More than this, he has set a standard of batsmanship not only to Australian cricket, but to that of the world over, and the influence he has exerted over the game in this connection has been tremendous. For these reasons alone the opportunity to show appreciation is most welcome and timely, but there is also the personal side. There is hardly any batting distinction that has not fallen to the skill of Victor Trumper at one time or another, but even in the moment of his greatest triumphs he has always remained the same Victor Trumper—unassuming, easy of approach, modest in demeanour, and generous to a degree. It is earnestly to be hoped that a generous response will be forthcoming from the cricketing community, so that this testimonial may be made worthy of the occasion and of the man.

ANGLING.

NOTES ON FLATHEAD FISHING.

From now onwards to the end of April that excellent table fish, the flathead, will command considerable attention at the hands of anglers visiting the various fishing resorts within easy reach of the metropolis. These fish keep much better than the majority of saltwater fish, and there is a marked difference in the flavour of those caught at different places; some are juicy and sweet, and others as dry as chips.

Flathead assume a protective resemblance to the bottom of the harbours, etc., which they inhabit; thus those on muddy bottoms are a dirty brown, sometimes almost black, whilst those which frequent sandy bottoms are light yellow or mottled.

The dusky flathead is the one that chiefly concerns anglers, as it is found all along our coast in large numbers. A species of spiney flathead, nicknamed "spikey" by the professionals, is often caught in deep water on sandy patches near ocean beaches. Flathead are found in water of varying depths, sometimes 20ft, at others only a few inches. They bury themselves in the sand or mud, the eyes alone being visible, and thus await the unwary small fry, prawns, or crabs. There are some who imagine that there is no art in capturing flathead, but they would be quickly undeceived if placed in a boat with an expert. True, many fish hook themselves, but in such fast-running water as the Hawkesbury they only make themselves known by a most gentle tap at the bait, and the angler must be ready to drive the hook home instantly. With the skilful man every tap means a fish; with the novice, loss of bait. The expert can deftly handle two lines at once, and keep the bait constantly on the move to give it the semblance of life, and to keep it from sinking in the mud.

At the Hawkesbury, where hundreds of flathead are landed by visitors every Sunday, it is customary to anchor the boat fore and aft on the edge of the big shoal off the fence at Dangar Island, Pretty Rock, Mullet and Mooney creeks, Mud and Bar islands, etc., according to the nature of the tide. It is well to know also that towards the end of the running-out tide and the beginning of the running in drifting may be indulged in with considerable success.

At Woy Woy, George's River, and various other parts drifting is the method adopted. The drift should be on the edges of the various shoals and in the channels. In boats anchored at The Rip, Woy Woy, anglers frequently catch very big fish. The largest flathead are mostly caught on live bait, such as small mullet, yellow-tail, and whiting. Port Hacking, Lady Robinson's Beach, La Perouse, Botany Bay, Lane Cove and Parramatta rivers, and Tuggerah Lakes are all noted flathead grounds.

Excellent sport may be enjoyed by using a short, flexible boat-rod, large wooden reel, number 12 white thread line (varnished) or silk twist, or fine Japanese gut lines. The line should be rigged with a running sinker, heavy enough to keep the line on the bottom, 3/0 hook, on two or three pieces of strong, thick gut joined, and one hook above the sinker. At the places mentioned the rod man will hold his own with the best of the handliners. Flathead are now coming into Middle Harbour, and at the Hawkesbury some good catches have been made. Every day should see them on the increase.

It is said that flathead up to 25lb in weight have been caught, but the biggest seen by the writer was a little over 17lb. Some years ago Mr. Otto Dorhauer landed one weighing 15lb at Taller Bay, and Mr. Dennis got one 17½lb at Tuggerah. A remarkable catch was that of Mr. A. J. Bullock, who caught two flathead on the same hook, both being hooked through the upper jaw. Another strange feat was that of Mr. S. Wilson, who got one weighing 8lb., and this fish when opened had inside of it the wing and leg bones of a fowl which had been cast overboard by some fisherman at lunch time.

The net fishermen at Manly have been getting great numbers of garfish, and the predatory fish are coming along in their wake. A big haul of salmon was made at Port Hacking. Professional line fishermen have been catching dozens of medium kingfish and trag-lin outside Port Jackson. An angler rod-fishing for kingfish in the vicinity of North Head caught a number of small ones, but had his rod broken by a big fish.

At Freshwater and Manly in the early morning and evening, at high water, local fishermen have been catching lots of splendid whiting.

Word comes from Brisbane that Mr. A. Nicholls, fishing near Kangaroo Point, with a rod and fine thread line, played and landed—after a tussle of 25 minutes—a jewfish weighing 25lb.

The summer fish are now making their appearance at Woy Woy in fairly large numbers, and some large jewfish, black bream, and large flathead were taken during the past week. Two of the latter aggregated 22lb.

SAILING.

THE CARLETON CUP.

AMONG THE OPEN BOATS.

SKIFF NOTES.

The second ocean race of the Royal Sydney Yacht Squadron—the Carleton Cup—is listed for Saturday next, the course being to Botany and back. This cup, which is to be raced for annually (providing three yachts of 10 tons or over start), was presented by the late Mr. T. H. Kelly in 1900, but only eight races have been held for it to date, and are as follow:—

1900-1	Thelma (Dr. A. McCormick)
1902-3	Rawhiti (Mr. T. H. Kelly)
1903-4	Culwulla (Mr. A. J. Soutar)
1904-5	Rawa (Mr. H. Binnie)
1905-6	Culwulla (Mr. A. J. Soutar)
1907-8	Awanui (Mr. A. C. Saxton)
1908-9	Awanui (Mr. A. C. Saxton)
1911-12	Wattlewarra (Mr. J. A. Manson)

On the day set apart for last year's race there was a southerly gale blowing on the coast, and it was deemed advisable to alter the course to one on the harbour. As the boats belonging to the 8 metre class are unable to take part in this contest, it has been decided to re-sail that class race for the Vice-commodore's prize, which was abandoned on October 26 on account of Yeulba and Petrel going to the rescue of two capsized skiffs.

Magic made her first appearance on Saturday last, and after sailing the whole distance threw away the third prize by not crossing the finishing line. After being accustomed for some years to see her hull painted black, it was rather a surprise to many to see that Mr. Murray has this year painted her green, which was her original colour.

In anticipation of a good breeze all the boats in the Sydney Sailing Skiff Club's race on Saturday carried second suits, and, with the exception of Murcia, five hands. Several of the boats were interfered with by an outgoing steamer turning at the Quay. Ensign was ahead of the fleet at Bradley's, but she was shortly afterwards crossed by Austral. Most of the boats worked midstream, and at the Watson's Bay pile-light Austral was still in the lead, followed by Lark, Minoru, Ensign, and Planet. Spinnakers were hoisted for the run to Shark Island, where Austral had increased her advantage, no change taking place, except that Ensign, which carried no extras, was passed by Planet.

Shortly after rounding the Shark Island mark Austral's ballooner got in the water, and she was passed by Murcia, which, carrying only four hands, and with her ballooner setting nicely, led very fast. Austral was then passed by Lark, but the former, getting her extra drawing at Bradley's, regained second place, only to be overhauled at the Quay by Assegai.

The order at the finish was Murcia, Assegai, Austral, and Planet, Lark having carried away her balloon gear.

Lilian's win in the Sydney Club's race on Saturday was the first gained by her this season, and was the result of good clean sailing. Second sails were the order of the day, and Lilian was probably as well rigged as any boat in the race; so that her success was not surprising, especially as she received no less than 6m start.

This was a big start for a boat which is by no means slow, and which, in addition to being well found, is not handled badly. But the scratch boats have been doing so well this season that the handicappers had no alternative but to set them a harder task, and thus it was that the handicap boats received such liberal starts, and secured five of the six prizes.

Hero's second was the best performance she has put up this season, but in the circumstances it was only what might have been expected of her. In the Sydney Club's first race of the season, she was in receipt of only 1½m, which has been increased from time to time until on Saturday she had 4½m. Duncan did the best he could with her, but she never looked like overhauling Lilian.

None of the others had a chance with these two; but Kismet's performance in defeating the rest from scratch was an eye-opener. She simply revelled in the fresh breeze, and did excellently, both on and off the wind. If Australian is to defeat Kismet in the Sydney Club's championship next Saturday week it will not do for her to carry the sails which she sported on Saturday, as these not only looked as if they had done a good deal of service, but were a bit on the small side. The Flying Squadron's champion was just beaten by Nimrod for seventh place, after leading her opponent over the greater part of the course.

Arline and Golding had a "neck and neck" struggle for fourth place, and had Golding's forward hands loosed the ballooner out when it was hoisted, instead of standing by and watching Arline's extra squared, Shorley's charge might have secured the prize. As it was, however, Arline beat her home by a few seconds, Donnelly, which could have done with somewhat larger sails, finishing sixth.

By reason of her win of the Flying Squadron's championship, Australian has now displaced Kismet from the head of the list of prizewinners amongst the 18-footers. In all, she has won £52, but Kismet is a close second with £50 10s. The winnings of the others this season are as follow:—Nimrod £28, Eunice £23, Golding £19, Arline £18, Livonia £17, Donnelly I. £17, Lilian £16, Scot £14, Hero £12 10s, Zena £9, Mona £7, Pastime £7, Advance £5, Quibree £3, Blanche £3, and Enid (late Donnelly II.) £2.

There appears to be a chance of the 18-footer Arthur returning to Sydney. Mr. W. M. Ford, jun., is at present on the look-out for a purchaser, as the owner wishes to dispose of the boat owing to the season having practically finished at Mackay (Q.), where she is, with little prospect of the sport being continued next year.

The eighteen-footers Eurus and Westana, which will represent Western Australia in the interstate races in Sydney in January, as reported in last Wednesday's "Herald," will be sailed by E. Tomlinson and Chris Garland respectively. The owners of both boats, Messrs. Brunett Bros. and F. R. Thomas, respectively, will also make the trip. The boats and the party are due here on January 2.

There are 21 entries for the Flying Squadron's handicap on Saturday, and increased prize money to the amount of £15 will be split up as follows: Heats, £4, £2, and £1; final, £10, £5, £3, £2, and £1. W. Read is listed to sail Arline. He will have charge of her in the Sydney Club's championship on Saturday week, and also in the interstate races. The handicaps allotted are as follows:—

First Heat: Kismet (W. Dunn) and Nimrod (R. Kelliher), scratch; Arline (W. Read), 4m; Golding (E. Thackeray) and Quibree (H. Taylor), 4; Scot (W. L. Terrey), 4m; Mona (W. Hahn) and Pastime (C. Smith), [illegible]; Lilian (C. Logue), [illegible]; Blanche (F. Smith), [illegible]. Second Heat: Australian (Chris Webb), [illegible]; Donnelly I. (Alex. Holmes), [illegible]; [illegible] (J. M. Firth) and Livonia (J. Robinson), [illegible]; [illegible] and Eunice (G. H. Petty), [illegible]; Desdemona (F. C. Roberts), [illegible]; Advance [illegible]; E. Thompson and Wilhelmine (F. M'Burney), [illegible]; Zena (J. Hawke) and Coca (R. Patton) 5m.

The committee of the State Skiffs Championship, which is to be decided on December 28, has decided to allow one extra hand to be carried under the Sydney Sailing Skiff Club's rules. This should make the race more attractive.

The Middle Harbour regatta, which will be held on New Year's Day at the Spit, promises to be a success. The following prizes for the sailing races have been allotted:—

Boats of Mosman and Middle Harbour clubs: First, the Mayor of Mosman's trophy, and £3 10s; second, £2 2s; third, £1 1s; fourth, 10s 6d.

Six-footers, two races each: First, £1 10s; second, £1; third, 10s 6d.

Eighteen-footers: First, £10; second, £4; third, £2; fourth, £1.

Sixteen-foot skiffs, two races: Each race, first, £3; second, £2 10s; third, £1 10s; fourth, 15s.

Twenty-four-foot and under (skiffs debarred): First, £3; second, £2 5s; third, £1 10s; fourth, 10s.

Entries will close on 21st inst.

For the Middle Harbour club's race on Saturday five entries have been received:—[illegible], Ilka, Nereid, Ibis, Cornstalk, Urania.

The Middle Harbour club is promoting a race to be sailed on January 4 for veteran skippers of the club, which is causing much interest, owing to several skippers of 20 years since taking part. The boats nominated are:—[illegible], Ilka (Mr. Malley), Ibis (Mr. C. Lyons), Nereid (Mr. G. Snow), Cornstalk (Mr. J. Adams), Crescent (Mr. W. Lyons); Urania (Mr. E. Francis), Mimosa (Mr. J. Edwards), Balmoral (Mr. J. Palmer).

BOWLING.

THE COMPETITIONS.

THE AUSTRALIAN CARNIVAL.

The weary period of inactivity, as far as competition is concerned, will terminate next Saturday, and bowlers will once more resume that phase of the sport which is most worth while. It seems strange at the first blush that cricket pitches can be topdressed and be ready for play on October 1, but that the bowling green must perforce occupy a most valuable portion of the summer in undergoing the preparatory process, and bowlers remain practically idle till December is well advanced. The reason, of course, lies in the difference of ground covering necessary to enjoyable participation in the two games. A perfect cricket pitch would by no means form an ideal bowling rink, but perhaps, now that the harvest time is at hand, it were better to make ready for the fruit of it rather than regret the lean days.

Practice under conditions more or less satisfactory has been proceeding for weeks past, teams have been constructed and changed, the little dissatisfactions and discontents that bowlers seem peculiarly heir to have been smoothed out or been amended as well as possible, and sunset next Saturday will have seen the worth of all the thought and effort. It is but reasonable to suppose that surprises will be more frequent at the beginning of a season than later on, when teams have settled well into their stride. The effect of the changes in personnel which occur every year by transfer and so on is not easy to estimate, but in the programme of "A" pennant fixtures listed hereunder, a majority of winners will probably be found in those clubs whose names are first mentioned of each pair.

CENTRAL DIVISION.

Club.	Opponent.	Venue.
City	Randwick	Palmain
Victoria Pk.	Woonona	City
Balmain	Gladstone Park	Waverley
Waverley	Redfern	Gladstone Pk.
NORTHERN DIVISION.		
Manly	Hunter's Hill	Chatswood
Chatswood	Kuring-gai	Warringah
Mosman	Warringah	Hunter's Hill
WESTERN DIVISION.		
Ashfield	Burwood	Petersham
Parramatta	Marrickville	Rockdale
Petersham	St. George	Ashfield

North Sydney and Strathfield have byes.

In the northern metropolitan section, two of the matches look fairly open, and both Kuring-gai and Warringah will probably make their opponents use their last ounce of reserve. Marrickville and Parramatta furnish another contest which wears a fairly open appearance; still, in summing up the chances of the other matches, it may prove that too much reliance can be placed on reputation and past form.

The "B" pennant programme is:—

CENTRAL DIVISION.

Club.	Opponent.	Venue.
City I.	Randwick	Palmain
Balmain	City II.	Victoria Pk.
Victoria Pk.	Waverley II.	Randwick
NORTHERN DIVISION.		
Chatswood	Manly	Warringah
N. Sydney	Warringah	Chatswood
WESTERN DIVISION.		
Ashfield I.	Marrickville I.	Petersham
Ashfield II.	Marrickville II.	Rockdale
Parramatta	Petersham I.	Burwood
St. George	Petersham II.	Ashfield

Waverley I., Mosman, and Hyde have byes.

THE AUSTRALIAN CARNIVAL.

One hears it urged in some quarters that Christmas is an inopportune time for bowlers to travel from home to attend the big carnival in Melbourne. Whatever weight the objection carries can only apply to the interstate team fixtures, which commence on December 24 and conclude on December 28. The Australian single-handed championship is set down for December 30 and 31, and the rink championship for January 1, 2, and 3. The entrance fees have been fixed at 10s per rink, and 5s for the individual event. In addition, consolation single-handed matches will be arranged for those beaten in the first round, and another for those beaten in the second round. No entrance fee will be charged for these latter events. Nominations may be made with Mr. Shadforth up to noon on Saturday, December 14, and the unprecedented scale on which this first official Australian carnival will be run should be sufficient to induce a good number of other than the interstate team alone to take part.

AT KURING-GAI.

There was but one thing necessary to complete the ideal day in the glorious setting of Warrawee's recreation ground last Saturday, and that was granted in the form of perfect weather. The characteristics of bowling clubs vary with the districts—no two are quite similar, but each possesses features which appeal to the visitor in various ways. Somewhat out of the beaten track of the bowler, fast trains render the Kuring-gai sward conveniently accessible, and one is well repaid the little extra distance by the charm of the surroundings and the warmth of one's reception. The beautiful grounds looked especially gay on the occasion of the green opening, with croquet, tennis, and cricket, as well as bowls, all to be viewed from the spacious pavilion verandah. Mr. Bartin Haigh welcomed the president's team in a speech which proclaimed a close acquaintanceship with current bowling affairs, but the absence of President Spence owing to a family bereavement was especially regretted. It taxed the local resources rather severely to produce six strong rinks, but Kuring-gai held its own admirably throughout an altogether delightful afternoon. Afternoon tea was dispensed during a general interval at 4 o'clock by the lady members of the club, and the prevailing opinion of the visiting players, who represented a goodly number of the affiliated clubs, was that the green was second to none in the metropolis. The president's team owed its victory chiefly to a remarkable win by the rink composed of Payten, Shadforth, Macdonald, and Walters, who scored 50 points to 13. Even the defeated four were unsparing in their praise of Walters' display in particular, and after allowing for the excellent play of the rink throughout he was credited with half the score at a modest estimate. Teams who have engagements at Warrawee this season will find a beautiful surface to play over—fast and with a fine draw on both hands.

THE INTERSTATE TEAM.

When the last big carnival was on the tapis in Adelaide about two years ago the parent State was in the parlous condition of having to go cap in hand at the last minute to beg of one or two players to make up the required four rinks. Teams to Victoria in recent years have not exercised the selectors' brains to any great extent—the choice has been too limited, as a rule, with very few offering in excess of the required number. On the present occasion, however, there was a gratifying change, and the list of nominations ran to 38, and as the bulk of the candidates were of good quality, the selectors were in clover, comparatively speaking. However, one does not require to know more than the fact that Taylor, of St. George, was not considered worth a place to guess that a team above the usual was afoot. Less than three months ago this player achieved a triumph in Brisbane in a sea of disaster, by skipping a rink through unbeaten, and those who follow the game closely can remember other interstate matches in recent years, in which Taylor has performed with distinct credit. Add the fact that players of the calibre of Coates, Chandler, Dean, Hope, Moore, Oram, Hillman, Davis, Fraser, Hogue, Hickey, Wilkie, McLaren, Ross, Elder, and Bell were among the unsuccessful candidates, and nothing more is needed to point the fact of an unusual scope for the judgment of the arbiters. Of course, had Thorpe and Strong been available, prospects would have been brighter still, but if the absolute best is awaited before contentment can be expressed, then New South Wales will never be satisfactorily represented on trips abroad. Taking the four rinks by and large, the selectors have made an adequate choice, though, perhaps, one or two may be counted lucky to have caught the favour of the judges in preference to one or two of the rejected. Arnott and Marks will be the star leaders, and Donaldson revels the more in the game as its importance increases. Tom Anderson has been showing such excellent form of late that his assignment to one of the more responsible posts would not have caused surprise, but even if Victoria, with its wide home choice, be undefeated, New South Wales should beat more than beat it.

It is somewhat of a disappointment to find Newcastle unrepresented, but it is understood that Christmas is an awkward time from a business standpoint in the north. Enthusiasts will be anxious to know if the single-handed champion of the State, L. Hingst, can arrange to fulfil his promised endeavour to compete in the individual event. The team will practice at the City green to-day, and it is not unlikely that a strong northern sixteen will come down next Wednesday to give the elect a trial spin.

NOTES.

A New Zealand bowler was an interested spectator of the match at Kuring-gai on Saturday, and was at a loss to find reason for the Sydney custom of the winning leader laying the mat, a practice which entails much loss of time in the aggregate. Scottish Association Law No. 7 provides for the loser laying the mat, and it surely requires but the initiative of the ruling body for the change to become established, and thus leave the winner free to procure the jack and bowls. In addition to expedition there is a smack of courtesy involved, and an acknowledgment of defeat, as it were, due by the vanquished to the victor.

Now that the important matches of the year are at hand, it would be well if players would digest well and act up to the letter of Rule 5 of the laws adopted by the Australian Council:—

"The leaders, scorers, and measurers, when not delivering their bowls, shall stand at least 6ft. behind the mat line—that is, the front end of the mat—until the last bowl has been played by the measurers, when they shall all exchange ends with the captains; each captain shall then stand in a similar position when not delivering his bowl. All players not directing shall stand at least 6ft. behind the jack, and as soon as a bowl is greened the player directing must retire to a like position as is required of the other players."

The foregoing rule is constantly contravened, and considerable inconvenience and annoyance is thereby occasioned.

The final of the sealed handicap rink contest for President Lamrock's trophies at the Waverley Club provided one of those unexpected happenings with which bowling records are studded. It was generally accepted that Martin's team were conceding Clubb's four about 15 points in a twenty-five head game, and opinions differed about equally as to their ability to accomplish the task. Hartley, E. Collins, D. Collins, and Clubb, however, never gave their opponents a look in, and actually scored 30 points to 16; and the handicap, when revealed, made the totals 47 to 18.

The returned bowlers who toured the United Kingdom are being accorded enthusiastic welcomes by their several clubs. Petersham did the honors in excellent style, and a goodly company were entertained by Mr. Felix Booth in manner befitting the premier's president. Quite the most detailed and interesting account of the tour was given at Waverley by Mr. C. Morrison, and the greatest compliment that can be paid the recital is the fact that it was listened to with the utmost attention and pleasure to the end.

FOOTBALL

RUGBY UNION.

CLOSE OF AUSTRALIAN TOUR.

SOUTH AFRICANS' SUCCESS IN INTERNATIONALS.

The history-making tour of the Australian team in America has closed, and the players are now homeward bound. The tour ended disastrously, each of the matches played in Canada resulting in defeat. The last match was played at Victoria (British Columbia), and was lost by 13 points to 11 after the scores were 13 to 6 at half-time in favour of the Canadians.

Clearly, either British Columbian football is of much higher quality than that of their American neighbours, or else the Australians were not at full strength owing to injuries. Against combined British Columbia they were overwhelmed, for not only were they unable to score, but had 15 points raised against them. The three defeats in Canada have somewhat tarnished their record, which reads 14 matches played, 9 won, 5 lost. The completed record is as follows:—

	For.	Against.
Barbarians	29	8
Santa Clara	20	6
Stanford University	6	0
Stanford University	12	13
Olympic	9	0
California University	18	0
California University	5	8
California University	23	3
Southern California University	41	0
St. Mary's College	27	8
American Representative Team	12	8
Vancouver	8	6
British Columbia	0	15
Victoria	11	13
Totals	227	88

American newspapers contain accounts of the first match against California University, in which the Australians gave their best display to date. After a fine first-half the weather broke, and a downpour of rain made the dirt field a regular quagmire. The Australians altered their game to suit the conditions, and adopted dribbling tactics, with short passes when on their opponents' goal-line. This style of play was a revelation to the Americans, and utterly nonplussed them. The "San Francisco Call" comments on the game as follows:—

The game proved that the Australians are as good in wet weather as in fine weather, and, moreover, it showed them up to better advantage than they ever have been seen here. The dribbling yesterday was a treat. To pick the heavy, soggy ball up was not exactly the right thing, though on many occasions the Australian back field got it, and gave exhibitions of passing which brought the spectators to their feet. It was in dribbling that the Australians showed to wonderful advantage. Many of these dribbling rushes took the ball from half-way right down to the California goal line, but there was one rush just after the start of the second half, when the Australian forwards took the ball along on the ground for more than 80 yards. It was the longest rush of the day, and every man got a chance to take the ball along. All the forwards showed just how to play Rugby on a muddy field.

Kent is again selected for special praise, and is considered by the Americans the best forward on the Australian side. Goal-kicking, of course, was out of the question, and the Australian score of 18 points consisted of six tries.

The Americans looked upon the game mainly as an indication of the chances of the rival Universities in the great match of the season, and some disappointment was expressed at the fact that the conditions prevented any comparison of the merits of Stanford and California being made. Writing to friends in Sydney members of the team state that Rugby on the Pacific Coast seems to exist solely for the inter-University match. The few club teams in and about San Francisco are considered in the light of providing trial matches for both teams, and from this arises the Californian practice of substitution of players during a match. In some cases the University coaches have put in three whole teams in the one match. The Australians had to yield in the matter of allowing three substitutes, and had already had the experience of an opposing team altering two positions in the last ten minutes, merely to strengthen their team, and not on account of injuries. It was the opinion of the Australians that Stanford were slightly the superior team, being quicker in attack; but their excessive training had evidently left them stale, as they had been beaten by the Olympic team from the British Empire Club by 6 points to nil. It will be remembered that the inter-University match resulted in a draw—3 points each.

THE SOUTH AFRICANS.

The South Africans now seem to have fairly settled down, and in the international matches are meeting with much greater success than was anticipated. English files deal with their first matches in Wales, when, after a good victory over Glamorgan County, the Springboks gained a narrow win over Llanelly by one point, and were defeated by a strong Newport side. In the Llanelly match the excitable Welsh temperament of the spectators found vent in some of them kissing the player (Williams) who drop-kicked a goal for the home side. In this match the forwards quick following up and keen tackling put the Africans off their game. Both in this and the Newport match the frequent changes in the team seem to have destroyed all confidence and cohesion. In the latter match the teams were evenly matched, but the South Africans had several chances and took few, while Newport took the only two chances offered them. The fact that the Springbok forwards were beaten in every department made their chances against the international teams appear remote, but their victory of 16 points to nil against Scotland, followed by the wonderful 38 points to nil win against Ireland on Saturday last, eirthe indicates that they have at last struck form or that the standard of Scottish and Irish football is very low. Probably the former view is correct. The 1906 Springboks were beaten by Scotland by 6 to nil, but they defeated Ireland narrowly by 15 points to 12. Against Glasgow, too, on Wednesday last, the colonials won by the substantial score of 38 points to 3, so that their record in Scotland and Ireland is better than that of their predecessors. Their matches during the week will be against Ulster, at Belfast, to-day, and against the North of England at Birkenhead on Saturday.

BRITISH ASSOCIATION

At its last meeting the council of the English Football Association considered the question of the free kick as the penalty for infringement by the goalkeeper of the new rule restricting the use of his hands to the penalty area. It was ruled that from such a free kick a goal can be scored directly. On the other hand, says "The Field," the committee of the Amateur Football Association has decided that the new rule does not apply to the game as played under its rules, because by one of these the laws in force are those presented by the International Board of 1908-9. On the whole, is seems regrettable that a new division should thus be initiated. But the A.F.A. has also appointed a committee for the purpose of considering the advisability of amending the laws of the game, consisting of Messrs. C. Wreford Brown, S. H. Day, I. E. Snell (the new hon. secretary of the Corinthian F.C.), G. C. Vassall (Oxford), and M. Woosnam (Cambridge), and it will probably be found that it is possible to make alterations which will improve the game for amateur players.

LAWN TENNIS.

THE "LIFTING" OF THE CUP.

PARKE'S WONDERFUL PLAY.

(BY OUR SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE.)

MELBOURNE, Monday.

The British Isles representatives have accomplished in their first engagement against Australasia, as challengers for the Davis Cup, what America failed to do in three attempts—"lifted" the Davis Cup, and regained the title of "champion lawn tennis nation," which was lost on the courts at Wimbledon in 1907. It is customary to use the simpler title "England" when referring to the team now in Australia, but the part which the representative of Ireland (J. C. Parke) played in the match last week was so great that it is only fair that the conquering nation should receive its official designation, which is, the British Isles.

J. C. PARKE. A. E. BEAMISH.

BRITISH ISLES LAWN TENNIS DOUBLES TEAM.

It would be futile to deny that our defeat was unexpected. Victories over Wright and Alexander, M'Loughlin and Long, Larned, Wright, and McLoughlin, in three successive contests had inspired Australians with a feeling of confidence, in spite of the fact that the visiting team was known to be composed of men whose recent performances in their own land had proved them to be most capable opponents. This confidence was maintained even after the splendid form shown by Parke in the Victorian Singles Championship. Perhaps the defeat of Dixon by Rice in that event augmented it to some extent, though it was felt that, with the colours up in the Davis Cup, Dixon would improve on the form shown by him in that match. Then, again, Brookes and Dunlop defeated Parke and Beamish so decisively in the doubles championship that it was only fair toassume theywouldscore one of the necessary three matches required to retain the cup. Heath might lose both his singles, but Brookes, of course, would gain both his, and so Australasia would win by at least three matches to two. That was the general impression held in Melbourne, and this is a tribute to the implicit faith felt in the ability of Brookes to defeat any adversary.

HOW PARKE MASTERED BROOKES.

Parke had previously mowed down all opposition in the Victorian Championship, and yet one and all felt that "the master" would devise some means whereby to nullify the telling strokes of the Irish player. Yet we were to see him defeated, not settless, but in danger almost from the beginning of the match. It is necessary to say "almost," because the first three games gave no indication of what was to follow. When Brookes served to Parke the first ball was sent out over the base line, the second into the net, and the third did not even reach the net. Those who had not seen Parke before began to prophesy that it would be a massacre, and did so with more emphasis when Brookes had won three games with the loss of only three strokes, but gradually Parke got into working order those drives which were to be the feature of the contest for the Davis Cup match of 1912, and which will be talked of for years. When the first of these, made at racing speed along the base-line to recover a ball dropped on the far corner by Brookes, firmly entrenched at the net, passed the Australian at such speed and with such precision that it was not touched, there was a gasp of astonishment. Later, such occurrences came with painful repetition to the well-wishers of Australasia, but they never failed to elicit the applause which they deserved. It was impossible for Brookes to attain any position of safety when he made a shot to either corner which Parke could reach, and what Parke cannot get to is as yet unknown. From the backhand corner he would go either down the line or across court, at times by quick footwork, making the strokes with the forehand, at others back-handed, but always with the precision and direction of a rifle shot, and just such speed as was necessary. Sometimes the clean pass was impossible, but Brookes would be so stretched that a high short drop resulted, and then that death-dealing shillelagh—or rather racket—of the Irishman would drive the ball past one side or the other.

Probably no other man in the world but Brookes could have taken a set from Parke as he played that day, and Brookes won the third set by sheer grit and skill, when things looked black indeed. The revived hopes of Australia were, however, to be dashed to the ground, as the effort could not be sustained, and the wearer of the shamrock caused the first match point to be hoisted on the board to the credit of the British Isles. Parke really wore the shamrock—one posted to him by an unknown well-wisher.

The match was one of many trials between base line and volleying experts respectively, and the base line player won. Whether the result justifies the assertion that perfect ground strokes should beat perfect volleying it is hard to say, though this match goes far in proof of it. And yet, without in any way wishing to detract from the merit of Parke's win, it was plain that Brookes was not quite at his best. To come to this conclusion it is necessary to observe the treatment of easy shots, some of which occur in every match. That is the safest line to adopt in gauging whether a man is in form or not, and Brookes missed more easy shots, and missed them by greater margins than a first-rate player will do when in form. In addition, he frequently erred in leaving balls which he thought were going out, and which dropped well in court. That indicates that his eye was not quite in, for the majority of the balls referred to had not any peculiar flight. Seeing Brookes playing a losing volleying game, one longed to see the Brookes of some years ago, the man whose mighty drives won the doubles championship of New South Wales, when, with Kearney, he defeated the holders, Curtis and Dewhurst. Through long desuetude, however, these were not forthcoming when urgently needed.

The driving of Parke was such a revelation to Australians that they wondered whether any of those whose fame as hard-hitters has reached Australia were more severe. Fortunately, there was amongst the spectators one fully competent to express an opinion of value on the subject. This was Dr. W. V. Eaves, winner of the New South Wales singles championship in 1891 and 1892. Asked as to whether S. H. Smith, reputedly the hardest of hitters off the ground, drove with more severity than Parke, he replied in the negative. Dr. Eaves, who has had about 20 years' experience as a player in England, America, Australia, and South Africa, said that he had never seen harder or more accurate driving from any player, and that Parke's form against Brookes was 15 better than any he had seen from him in England.

DIXON'S VICTORY OVER HEATH.

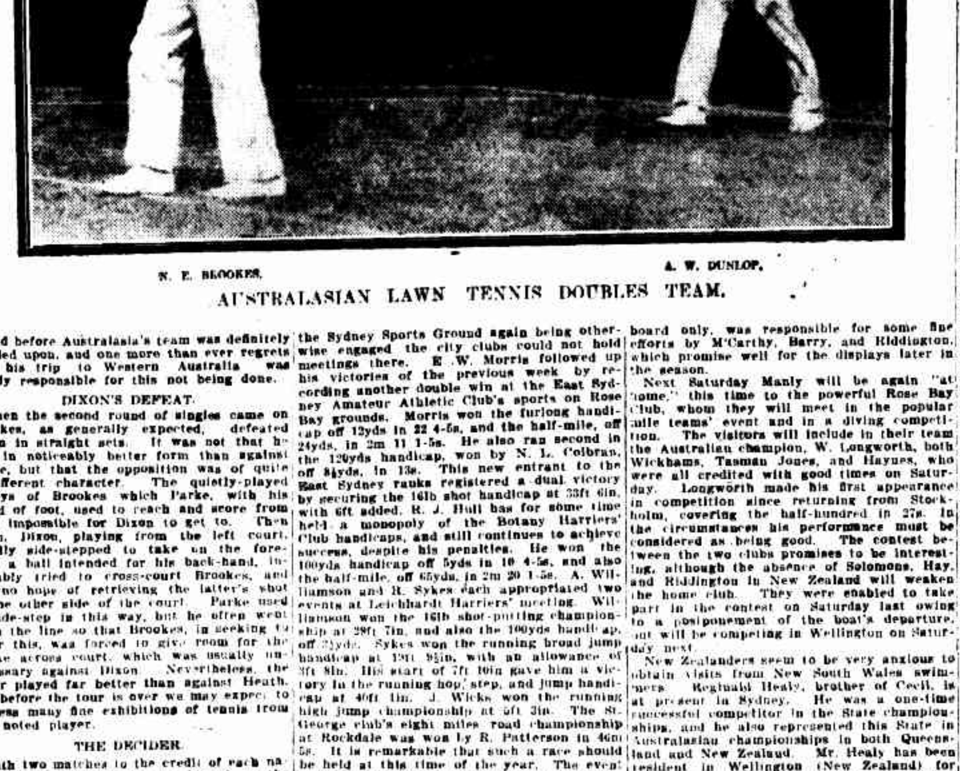
The second match of the day, in which Dixon met Heath, suffered by comparison with that which had preceded it. Dixon, as captain of the British Isles team, in giving the prescribed notice of the composition of his team, had put in Parke and Beamish as his singles players, but, after consideration and discussion with the other members of the team, a change was made, and Dixon took his place in the team, this alteration being quite in accordance with the words and spirit of the regulation.

Dixon had been in the same unhappy predicament as Larned was at Christchurch last year. He had not struck his true form, and was doubtful whether he or Beamish would be likely to trouble the Australasians most. It must have been a trying time for him, and no doubt his relief was correspondingly great when his inclusion led to the second match being scored to his side's credit as the result of his victory over Heath. The latter ought to have gone closer to winning than he did, as Dixon was evidently below the form which enabled him to overthrow Decugis and Gobert in the preliminary round of this year's Davis Cup contest. Seventeen double faults in the course in four sets is excessive, and not justified by any unusually severe second service, or its treatment by Heath. Dixon's best work was seen in his treatment of short balls. On the low volley he angled these very acutely and prettily to either hand, and if he found Heath up on a short ball he frequently passed him with a forehand hook from a ground stroke.

THE DOUBLES CONTEST.

The expected happened when the doubles came on. Brookes and Dunlop made every post a winning one, and secured three sets in about an hour, the first two requiring only half that time. By general consent, Dunlop was the best of the four. Watchful, sound in judgment, and with few faults in execution, he gave one of his best exhibitions, and that it took the fancy of the crowd was proved by its calling for "three cheers for Dunlop" at the conclusion. These were lustily given, and the novelty was extended by similar honours being accorded Brookes and the Englishmen.

To fill in the spare time caused by the early termination of the doubles, A. B. Jones and F. G. Lowe, the nominated representatives of the respective nations who had not been called upon to take part in the match itself, played an exhibition match, both sets of which were won by Jones. The Sydney player lost the first three games, but evidently was gaining experience in them, as altered tactics, which included frequent incursions to the net, enabled him to win 12 of the next 15 games. The Sydney player has many admirers amongst Melbourne players, many of whom would have liked to see him thoroughly tested before Australasia's team was definitely decided upon, and one more than ever regrets that his trip to Western Australia was chiefly responsible for this not being done.



N. E. BROOKES. A. W. DUNLOP.

AUSTRALASIAN LAWN TENNIS DOUBLES TEAM.

DIXON'S DEFEAT.

When the second round of singles came on Brookes, as generally expected, disposed of Dixon in straight sets. It was not that he was in noticeably better form than against Parke, but that the opposition was of quite a different character. The quick, well-placed volleys of Brookes, which Parke, with his speed of foot, used to reach and score from, were impossible for Dixon to get to. Once again, Dixon, playing from the left court, usually side-stepped to take on the forehand a ball intended for his back-hand, invariably tried to cross-court Brookes, and had no hope of retrieving the latter's shot to the other side of the court. Parke used to side-step in this way, but he often went down the line so that Brookes, in seeking to cover this, was forced to give room for the stroke across court, which was usually unnecessary against Dixon. Nevertheless, the latter played far better than against Heath, and before the tour is over we may expect to witness many fine exhibitions of tennis from this noted player.

THE DECIDER.

With two matches to the credit of each nation, the destiny of the cup hinged on the meeting of Parke and Heath. There were few who expected the Australasian to win after Parke's magnificent performance against Brookes, and yet hope springs eternal in the human breast, and many wondered whether history would repeat itself, and Heath save the day, as Wilding did against Alexander in 1908. But it was not to be. The importance of the occasion appeared to have no effect upon Parke's nerves, and Heath, too, battled hard and bravely. His tactics, however, were not judicious. It might have been thought that, possessed of the fine drive which he has, and remembering that even the volleying powers of Brookes could not stem the torrent of Parke's drives, he would avoid taking the net as much as possible. Towards the end of the first set and in the beginning of the second, in which he led 2-1, Heath did adopt this course, and for a time held Parke fairly well, but he seemed obsessed with the idea that he could succeed by the tactics in which Brookes had failed, and the results were disastrous. Parke scored nearly every time Heath went in to volley, either by clean passes or foozled volleys from his opponent. Interspersed with these volleying attempts Heath played the back-court game, but never adhered to it long enough. His only hope, forlorn though it might be, was to drive hard and often as he did against Parker in Sydney.

At the end of the match the crowd again cheered the contestants, and Dixon and Brookes acknowledged the compliment through the megaphone. What a crowd it was, too! No exact tally could be made, but with the known seating capacity of the stands it could not have been far short of 8000. It differed from the usually sedate tennis crowd in some sections of the stand, but was an absolutely fair and impartial one, even though once or twice some over-excited person would call "Leave it!" when a player was in doubt whether a ball was going in or out.

Amongst the spectators were men from all parts of Australia and New Zealand, who had travelled long distances for the sole purpose of seeing the cup match. There was one from far-distant Fiji. Sydney was very largely represented by players of the past and present. The former derived almost as much pleasure from meeting former Victorian opponents as from the contest which was the object of their visit. There were some who had met in the first inter-State match played in Victoria in 1886, and others who had done similarly in the comparatively recent '90's and the first decade of the 20th century.

The sight of the packed stands was very impressive. The spectators have only been exceeded in numbers on one occasion (if at all) and that was when the brothers Doherty played for the British Isles against Dwight Davis and Ward at the Crescent Athletic Ground, New York, when it was estimated that 10,000 were present, but then they were not all accommodated in stands close to the court, and, placed at a distance, it is questionable whether so imposing a spectacle was presented as was that on Saturday, and even on Friday the attendance was enormous.

And so the Davis Cup is to resume its wanderings after its long stay in Australasia. A touch of regret that it should be so is inevitable, yet it is good for the game that no nation should hold it perpetually. It has been fairly and squarely won by true sportsmen. That goes almost without saying, for our experience of visiting challengers for the cup has been most happy; but Messrs. Dixon, Parke, and Beamish have been put to a harder test than their predecessors, who were only required to show how to take defeat. The Britishers have had the more difficult task of showing how to take success. Though we have lost the cup, the benefit which Australasian, and possibly English and American tennis, has derived from its sojourn here will endure. It has been the means of enabling our players to see the acknowledged leaders of the world's tennis on our courts, this has induced many to participate in the game, and it has also enabled the emissaries of Great Britain and America to become acquainted with Australasian tennis players and conditions, and this may be of great value to us in the future.

ATHLETICS.

AMERICAN TOUR POSTPONED.

IMPORTANT A.A.A. DECISIONS.

Regret will be general in athletic circles at the news that the American team of athletes will not tour Australasia in the near future, word having reached Sydney yesterday to that effect. The New South Wales Amateur Athletic Association had approved of the scheme, and had also decided to hold the State championships in conjunction with the Americans' visit. The local association was in the happy position of being guaranteed against financial loss by the generosity of two of its members, Messrs. J. Dunn and W. H. Wiseman. Now everything is, unfortunately, "as you were."

Mr. M. J. M'Carthy has notified that he intends retiring from the position of hon. secretary at the next meeting of the council of the N. S. Wales A.A.A. A recent recommendation from the executive committee prohibits a club secretary occupying the position, but notice has been given to rescind this rule at the next meeting. If the motion be carried, and Mr. M'Carthy persists in his intention of vacating the position, the way will be open to any club secretary who desires to contest the office.

The A.A.U. of Australasia has received a request from the Queensland A.A.A. that a mail vote be taken amongst the affiliated associations, asking for an opinion whether it is advisable to permit amateur athletes competing in trade, lodge, or other similar picnic sports against professionals, provided that the prizes were trophies. New Zealand, Victoria, and Tasmania voted against the proposition, and the N.S.W.A.A.A. has agreed with the other associations that it was not practicable to allow an amateur athlete to compete with or against a professional at any meeting, as the amateur definition prohibited such contests. Previous attempts to bring about such a proposal have met with failure.

Five club meetings were carried out at the suburban grounds on Saturday, as owing to the Sydney Sports Ground again being otherwise engaged the city clubs could not hold their meetings. R. W. Morris followed up his victories of the previous week by recording another double win at the East Sydney Amateur Athletic Club's sports on Rosebery ground. Morris won the furlong handicap off 10yds in 22 4-5s, and the half-mile, off 35yds, in 2m 11 1-5s. He also ran second in the 120yds handicap, won by N. L. Colless, off 3yds, in 13s. This new entrant to the East Sydney ranks registered a dual victory by securing the 16lb shot handicap at 33ft 6in, with an allowance of 6ft. R. J. Hull has for some time been the mainstay of the Botany Harriers club handicaps, and still continues to achieve successes, despite his penalties. He won the 100yds handicap off 5yds in 10 4-5s, and also finished second in the 220 yards in 24 1-5s. A. Williamson and R. Sykes each appropriated two events at Leichhardt Harriers' meeting. Williamson won the 16lb shot-putting championship at 29ft 7in, and also the 100yds handicap, off 3yds. Sykes won the running broad jump handicap at 19ft 9½in, with an allowance of 3ft 8in. His start of 7ft 10in gave him a victory in the running hop, step, and jump handicap at 40ft 1in. J. Wicks won the running high jump championship at 5ft 3in. The St. George club's eight miles road championship at Rockdale was won by R. Patterson in 46m 5s. It is remarkable that such a race should be held at this time of the year. The event is very much out of season, the open road-racing having been concluded some time ago, and the weather conditions are not favourable to long-distance running.

Members of the A.A.A. are notified that nominations will be received to-morrow night at the Sports Club for the 220 yards open handicap to be decided on Thursday, 12th instant, by the Newtown Harriers. 100 and 880 yards club handicap, also a 75 yards ladies' race are included in the programme. The events will be held in conjunction with the jubilee celebrations of Newtown at the University Oval. As there is a fair number of lady sprinters anxious for a race, the event provided for them should draw a large entry.

The recently established Fairfield A.A.C. is making good progress under the direction of Mr. H. J. Mills, a late member of the South Sydney Harriers. It is intended to apply for affiliation to the N.S.W.A.A.A., and a sports meeting is being arranged.

A benefit entertainment is to be held on Wednesday, 18th instant, in aid of Mr. Geo. Dent, an ex-State champion, and for many years an official of the A.A.A. Mr. Dent has been for some time an inmate of Sydney Hospital.

The Mozart Juvenile Harriers will receive the prizes won by them during the season at the Redfern Town Hall on Saturday evening.

FIXTURES.

To-night: Club meeting at Sydney Sports Ground.
Saturday: Combined meeting at Sydney Sports Ground.
Wednesday, 11th: Club sports.
Thursday, 12th: Newtown jubilee sports at University Oval.

The three-year-old filly Glade, by Birkenhead—Gladister, was destroyed at Riccarton recently. She was just about to enter her box when she struck her head against the wall, and, as paralysis supervened, it was deemed advisable. Glade was a particularly good sprinter, and last year won the Hastings Stakes, defeating Ermengarde, who showed a lot of pace over a short journey at the recent A.J.C. spring meeting.

SWIMMING.

RE APPEARANCE OF OLYMPIC SWIMMERS.

CRAWL STROKES IN ABUNDANCE.

Some brilliant and exciting sprint swimming was witnessed at the Manly Baths on Saturday, when the Sydney and Manly clubs met in their second annual inter-club contest. Marked by the best of good feeling and the keenest of competition, the events provided a most interesting afternoon's enjoyment for the swimming enthusiast. The contest demonstrated the remarkable hold that the "crawl" stroke has obtained in purely sprint swimming. Of the 34 competitors engaged in the mile teams' race, each swimming 100 yards, there were not more than half-a-dozen who used the trudgeon stroke. And the "crawls" adopted were of all descriptions. There was seen the peculiar half-crawl, half-trudgeon stroke of Barry, the double flutter of one leg by L. Boardman, the vigorous shoulder-action of Hay, the lifting of one leg clean out of the water by Hardwick, and the fluttering propeller-like kick made famous by Kahanamoku at the Olympic Games. There could also be seen the American double-kick and the flurried action generally adopted by European swimmers. But with all the personal idiosyncrasies, with few exceptions, the Australian style, with its regular action and deliberate timing of arms and legs was generally adopted. The styles most taking to the eye of the onlooker were, however, two distinctly opposite in character, of which Longworth and Kahanamoku are the leading exponents—that of Longworth, with its brilliancy and dash, its powerful shoulder action and clean, crisp timing, suggestive of tremendous virility, and that of Kahanamoku with the fluttering leg action and deliberate easy arm stroke, indicating reserve and hidden power. The former was demonstrated by H. M. Hay, of Manly, the latter by the Fort-street schoolboy, L. Duff.

The hero of the afternoon was A. W. Barry, who again demonstrated his remarkable sprinting powers. Early in the afternoon in his club's 50 yards handicap the Sydney champion covered a lap in 24 1-5s, which is 3-5s outside Wickham's world's record. In the mile teams' race he left the starting board as 13th man for his club, and with the advantage of the flying start covered the two laps in 56 1-5s, which is only 4-5s worse than Daniels' world's record. A noticeable feature of the young Sydney member's swimming this season is the stamina displayed by him in the last part of a race. In both judgment and power his recent finishing efforts are worthy of being classed with those of Cecil Healy. Barry also represented his club in the diving, and performed splendidly.

The occasion was further marked by the first appearance this season of the two Sydney Olympic representatives, Hardwick and Boardman. They were both handicapped—Boardman by the fact that he had just arrived in Sydney after a nine weeks' sea voyage, and Hardwick by an injured hand, which had kept him out of the water for a month. They both swam well, Boardman doing 25s for 50 yards and 60s for 100 yards, and Hardwick 61 3-5s for 100 yards.

The contest was won by Sydney by two events to one, the premiers annexing the teams' race and diving, and the seasiders the four-oared novelty race. In the teams' race Manly led to 700 yards, when Hay (Manly) finished with 2 yards to the good from Russell (Sydney). In the eighth relay Ryan obtained a lead of 2 yards for Sydney, which was increased to 20 yards. The remaining members of the Boardman family also distinguished themselves by doing 61 4-5s and 62s respectively. The full time for the mile was 19m 15s, averaging about 68 seconds each 100 yards. The diving, which was from the springboard only, was responsible for some fine efforts by M'Carthy, Barry, and Riddington, which promise well for the displays later in the season.

Next Saturday Manly will be again "at home," this time to the powerful Rose Bay club. There will be a fine inter-club competition, the Rose Bay team including Longworth, both Wickham, Tasman Jones, and Haynes, who were all credited with good times on Saturday. Longworth made his first appearance in competition since returning from Stockholm, covering the half-hundred in 27s. In the circumstances his performance must be considered as being good. The contest between the two clubs promises to be interesting. Hay, and Riddington in New Zealand will weaken the home club. They were enabled to take part in the contest on Saturday last owing to a postponement of the boat's departure, but will be competing in Wellington on Saturday next.

New Zealanders seem to be very anxious to obtain visits from New South Wales swimmers. Reginald Healy, brother of Cecil, is at present in Sydney. He was a one-time successful competitor in the State championships, and he also represented this State in Australasian championships in both Queensland and New Zealand. Mr. Healy has been resident in Wellington (New Zealand) for some years, and has been prominent in swimming circles there. He has been commissioned by his club to arrange for a visit from a party of Sydney swimmers, and is especially anxious for Miss Fanny Durack to accept an invitation. The lady champion is leaving for Brisbane to-day to compete at the carnival of the Royal Life Saving Society, and in spite of the fact that she has been doing little swimming lately, enthusiasts may expect to hear of some excellent performances being accomplished by her.

The ladies' record for 220 yards, which was established by the world's champion last year, still stands unapproached, and was not affected by the result of the English 220 yards ladies' championship, which was decided at Liverpool on October 25 last for the first time. The race resulted in favour of Miss Daisy Curwen, the time being 3m 8 4-5s.

On the same occasion Hatfield made another of his numerous attempts on Beaurepaire's world's records, but failed by 6 2-5s to equal the 300 metres figures, which are 3m 50 1-5s.

The return of Cecil Healy and L. Boardman on Friday last completed the Olympic swimming team. They both report an enjoyable trip, although they found the strain of constant travelling after Stockholm very exacting. The majority of their performances are well known, and have appeared in these columns from time to time. There has been a tendency, however, for Healy's doings to overshadow those of his young colleague, who swam brilliantly during the tour. The performances of which he is proudest are 1m 4 4-5s for 100 metres, and 2m 28 1-5s for 200 metres at Brussels, and his Scottish record of 25 1-5s for 50 yards. Boardman will swim again for Sydney, but Healy's intentions are doubtful, pending re-organisation or otherwise of the East Sydney club. Both swimmers are just in time for the A.S.A.'s "Welcome Home" dinner to-night at the Burlington Cafe, where a special feature will be the presentation to the team of framed prize certificates for the teams' race. Both swimmers will also be the guests of the Sydney Swimming Club at a function on Saturday night, to serve the double purpose of welcoming the club's Olympic representatives and of farewelling the team selected to represent the club in Melbourne against the Melbourne club.

The programme for the interclub contests has now been definitely fixed. The first day's events at St. Kilda baths on December 14 will include the 440yds free style, 100yds breast stroke, and diving contests, a 66yds boys' handicap, the City of St. Kilda solicitors' race for boys under 16, and three interclub handicaps. The events for the second day's meeting at the City Baths on the following Monday will include the 500yds teams' race and water polo match in the interclub events, a 66yds and 200yds handicaps and 100yds breaststroke handicap. The Sydney team has been partly selected, with M. Duffy as captain, F. Cummins, G. Levy, C. Thomas, L. Duff, and J. Dreelin, and two others to be selected, of whom it is probable L. Boardman will be one. It is hardly likely that the team will be able to defeat Melbourne in either diving or breaststroke, and must place its reliance on winning the 440yds, water polo, and teams' race. E. Mooney, assistant secretary of the club, will act as manager.

The polo competitions commenced inauspiciously. In some cases the appointed referee did not attend, in others teams forfeited, and in addition the lighting and arrangements at the baths were too bad to allow of the match taking place. The popularity of the game has in one sense proved a drawback, as it has led to baths being pressed into use which are really not suitable for the purpose. The well-kept and well-lighted municipal baths in the Domain are practically the only suitable ones in the metropolis for water polo at night, and their popularity with both league and amateur bodies leads to complications. The League of Swimmers has made a move in the direction of commencing a water polo competition, and is considering a proposal to initiate a novice competition on the lines followed by the A.S.A. for the past two seasons.

The League is also considering the advisability of following the example of the amateur body in the matter of encouraging distance swimming, and to that end has appointed a committee to draft a scheme. The professional body has in its ranks several promising distance swimmers, who have been forced to confine their activities to the championship events in the absence of long-distance handicaps. The success attending the amateur scheme should encourage the League to persevere in this matter. The amateur body has allotted dates for the remaining distance handicap as follow:—Mile handicap, January 31; three miles' event, February 22. The carnival committee has placed the 1320yds event on the programme of the second of the State championship carnivals to be held on January 15. The State championships have been allocated to the carnival dates in the same manner as in previous years, viz., the 100 yards and 880 yards on the first day, the 440 yards and 220 yards breast stroke on the second day, and the teams' championship, 220 yards, and diving on the third day. The Kieran memorial scratch race for schoolboys will be decided on the first day, and the mile championship, as usual, will be held on the Monday between the first and second carnivals.

It seems almost certain that the State championships will show that this State will be represented at the Australian championships by a young and powerful team, which should prove equal to the task of retaining the Kieran Shield for the mother State. The dates for the Australian events have been rearranged. The Victorian portion will now be held on February 22 and 24, so that it will follow the Hobart Carnival, to be held between February 7 and 14. Thus a difficulty has been surmounted amicably.

It seems almost certain that Kahanamoku will not be a visitor to Australia this season. While passing through Honolulu the returning Australian cricketers gathered this information, although they ascertained that he would probably be here next season. The speedy Hawaiian will, therefore, not be a competitor in the State and Australian championships this year, but his presence next year will lend added interest to both events. It will mean probably two visits to Sydney, as four of the Australian championships will be decided in Sydney in 1914.

Swimming is evidently booming in Lithgow. The A.S.A. has already received an application from the Small Arms Factory Club for affiliation, and has now received a second application from the Great Western Club. This club has its headquarters at Lithgow, and conducts its races in Lake Pillans in running fresh water. The Gunnedah Club has also renewed its affiliation, and requests the visit of a metropolitan swimmer for its carnival on Boxing Day.

FIXTURES.

TO-NIGHT.

AMATEUR.

South Sydney Club.—100 yards handicap, Domain.

Drummoyne Club.—133 yards brace handicap, 50 yards junior handicap, Drummoyne baths.

Randwick and Coogee Clubs.—66 yards handicap, Coogee Aquarium.

Australian Swimming Association.—Welcome home dinner to Olympic swimmers.

LEAGUE.

Mosman Club.—100 yards handicap, Spit Baths.

THURSDAY.

AMATEUR.

North Sydney Club.—200 yards handicap, 25 yards sealed handicap, Lavender Bay.

N.S.W.A.S.A.—Polo competitions.

Mosman Club.—200 yards brace relay handicap, 50 yards junior handicap, Spit baths.

ROWING.

THE WORLD'S CHAMPIONSHIP.

PEARCE'S RECORD.

Matters are so far advanced in connection with a race between Henry Pearce and Ernest Barry for the sculling championship of the world that a date, August 4, 1913, which is Bank Holiday in England, has been suggested by the champion. To this there cannot be any objection. Barry is where the proposed race will be rowed, and will know all about the advantages of tides, etc., on that date. Pearce wishes to have 12 weeks on the Thames course, during which he would store up a knowledge of the course and get used to the fast running fresh water. He has been there before—some twelve years ago—when George Towns was at the zenith of his fame and popularity. He did not race on the Thames, but had two matches on the Tyne against William Barry, an elder brother of the present champion. Pearce won one of the matches, but failed in the other, although he was considered to have had an excellent chance of winning. The Australian was at that time rowing so well that he gave many the impression that he was almost as speedy as Towns.

On his return to Sydney Pearce rowed Richard Tressider, but was beaten. This was on the Parramatta. Towns afterwards beat Tressider for the championship on the same course, this being his second win for the title. Pearce since then has been twice beaten by Richard Arnst, but rowed good races both times. During the past few years he had a sequence of wins, beating Thoroughgood, Mitchell, Day, Hagney, and S. Kemp, by no means a bad record. Barry's wins against W. Albany, G. Towns, W. Fogwell, and Arnst being strength to the belief that the English estimate of the champion may be justified, and that he is "one out of the box."

It seems as nearly a certainty as anything of the nature can be that Pearce will leave for England in March, and reach the Thames at the end of April. Should he return as champion, and there is a definite wish here that he may, he will have justified his self-reliance, and his refusal to submit to any further tests before the eventful day, when he shall for the second time attempt to get hold of the highest honour in professional sculling. It may be a matter for regret that he has deemed it against his interests to race his countrymen until he has finished with Barry; but the title he now holds, it is evident, will not be held up, awaiting his return in a year's time. Towns, Felton, and Paddon—perhaps W. Webb, too, will have given conclusive proof of their relative merits ere that.

On Saturday at Glebe's regatta a stiff nor'-easter was blowing, and it interfered somewhat with the racing. The steering was very inferior in practically all the events. The coxswains seemed too intent upon watching each other instead of looking out for the winning post, several of the crews on Saturday rowing lengths further than was necessary; and one race was spoilt by faulty steering.

Unfortunately, a late start was made from Fort Macquarie owing to the non-arrival of portion of the refreshments. Regattas are getting a very bad name for lack of punctuality. In the case of Glebe, the club officials worked hard, so that the lost time was almost made up, and the last race was only started a few minutes after time.

There is a tendency nowadays to unduly crowd the umpire's launch at regattas. Possibly this is accounted for by a pernicious habit some followers of regattas have of going on board the umpire's launch without a special invitation from whatever club may be holding the function.

North Shore have a four-oared race as well as a Gladstone skiff handicap set down for decision on Saturday, when some good contests should result. Mr. W. A. M'Lerie, a very old member of this club, intends shortly taking up his residence at the Sydney club's branch shed, and for that purpose he will of course join the Sydney club. He will be a big loss to North Shore, where he has been a hard worker amongst the new members and as honorary caretaker for many years. Mr. M'Lerie will be a corresponding gain to the Sydney club. It is understood that his old club will be giving him a "send-off," and at the same time opportunity will be taken to welcome back Mr. Alex. Thomson, the manager of the Olympic crew, who is a member of this club.

During the rowing carnival on the northern rivers some few weeks ago, seven scullers had to take their boat from the Clarence to the Richmond. The railway freights were high, so they strapped the boats to the roof of the mail coach, and got through at about half the cost. In Victoria competitors' boats are carried at a specially low rate, and this has proved of great assistance to country regattas and clubs, where eights and fours are carried considerable distances.

The opening races of the Parramatta River Professional Club's season will take place on Saturday afternoon. Forty-three entries have been received for the two events set down for decision. Owing to the number of entries, it will be necessary to row each handicap in two heats and final. Following is the list:—

Outrigger Handicap, 2m.—R. Arnst, C. Towns, A. Felton, A. Pearce, Geo. Towns, W. Towns, F. Starr, W. M'Devitt (Tas.), C. Messenger, C. Matterson, G. Ford, A. Priddle, C. Jack, H. Bailey, R. Hopping, jun., G. Goodsell, F. King, T. Glover, J. Woodland, S. Kent, J. Hawkes, F. Cole, J. Gallagher, A. Brearden, A. Mantova, J. Cameron.

Pleasure Skiff Handicap, 1m.—S. Pearce, A. Pearce, C. Ford, C. Messenger, C. Matterson, R. Hopping, sen., R. Hopping, jun., C. Pickering, H. Pickering, H. Judd, W. M'Devitt (Tas.), H. Bailey, A. Priddle, C. Jack, A. Mantova, F. Bran, S. Kent.

A trophy will be awarded the member scoring the highest number of points during the year. Steamer arrangements appear in our amusement columns.

AUSTRALIAN ROWING

AN ENGLISH CRITICISM.

LEANDER AND SYDNEY COMPARED.

The following extracts are taken from a letter addressed to Mr. Alex. Thomson (manager of the Australian rowing team), just before he left London, by a prominent member of the Leander club:—

"I have heard very little of the Stockholm race, but I gather that the arrangements were not good, that the changing of your crew did not add to your pace, and that there was considerable difference in the value of the stations.

"Since you have asked me for it, I will give you my impressions of Australian rowing. I thought your crew the best because they were the best combination of eight men I have ever seen. Their wrist-work was excellent, and their bodies and shoulders were kept in a sound and powerful position and shape all through the stroke. No over-reaching or tiring shoulder work. Leander's wrist-work and position of shoulders and bodies suffered by comparison with your crew, who, however, had been together for 12 weeks, whereas Leander's had only been together for three.

"You beat us at Henley after a good race. We reversed the result at Stockholm. Your men were physically and muscularly much better prepared than ours. Granted that my statements are correct, how was it that Leander could have lived with your crew? There must be some explanation. I wish we could discuss this phase in a friendly way. It would certainly be in the best interests of rowing. However, the point I am about to enter on is one difficult to explain in writing, especially as our expressions and phrases in dealing with rowing, though understood in our rowing set, may bear entirely different meanings in yours. However, I will do my best to tackle the subject and make myself understood.

"Your crew may have been theoretically correct; they were very nearly practically so according to our ideas; but not quite. That difference just took away the great speed which your crew might have had. I allude to the 'beginning.' Your crew had 'a' beginning, but just missed 'the' beginning, which is the crux of speed in our eight, and which is the most difficult point to learn in rowing. This is not acquired by a jamb of the legs or heave of the body, nor by the lightness of the hands alone; it is the combination of all points. It is true the Australians had the combinations of all those points, but they were not quick enough to get a true grip of the water.

"As regards the swing, your crew were on the short side. On the other hand, Leander may have overdone it, owing to the bad and faulty position of their bodies. A crew which does not really grip their beginning is apt to be short in their swing back, and a crew which is short forward finds it very difficult to get hold of the beginning. Theoretically there should be no 'pinch.' Practically there must be a little 'pinch.' By 'pinch' I mean the angle of the oar to boat at the beginning of the stroke. The reason that there must be a little pinch is because when the men tire they are unable to move quickly enough to get hold of the water at the beginning without a little pinch to help them. The true beginning is a knack—sleight of hand, feet and body, if you like to call it so—which, when acquired, is always 'hitting' the boat along even when the men are dead beat. 'Hitting' is quite the wrong expression, but I think you will understand it. Also, on that true beginning the weight is suspended and carried with irresistible force through to the end of the stroke; in consequence, the weight is working when the individual is tired. If you do not have the true beginning, the blade work, and in consequence the pace of the boat, must depend on the speed of the slide back, which must fall off as the legs tire.

"To sum it up. Our rowing at the beginning might be expressed by 'Grip the water and hang your weight on it.' Yours might be expressed by 'Carry it right through from the beginning.' Do you see the difference in the two expressions? They really mean the same, only the first one lays more stress on the instantaneous hold at the beginning of the stroke.

"I also think that your crew ought to have been rather longer in the swing. I understand from one of your men that you insist on them using the whole of their slide, even if they have to curtail their swing forward to do so. We go on the reverse system, which, I think, is best, because we find in practice that, unless the body is swung well down on the thighs, it is almost impossible to get the weight hung on to the beginning. A little longer swing forward would help your men to get their weight hung, and, having done so, a little longer swing back would make the weight do more towards propelling the boat.

"Where I consider your crew were faulty was at the beginning of the stroke, inasmuch as that simultaneously with the blade entering the water their weights were not suspended between their stretchers and handles of their oars.

"If you can produce a crew as good as this year's, with true beginning, they would be fifteen seconds faster over the Henley course."

BOXING.

The match between Sid Sullivan and Paul Til at the Stadium to-night will mark Til's last appearance in the ring in Australia. As regards height, reach, and weight, the men are very evenly matched, and as the Frenchman is now boxing better than ever, he can be relied on to put up a good showing with his sturdy little opponent.

Eddie Morgan, the English bantam-weight champion, defeated Eddie O'Keefe in a 10-round contest at Madison-square recently. Morgan showed wonderful form, and had the better of the match throughout, his opponent being groggy practically from the start. Morgan will now be matched with Johnny Kilbane.

Saturday night's engagement at the Stadium will be provided by those two sterling featherweights, Leon Truffier and Jimmy Hill. At their last meeting Truffier showed himself a most resolute and game little boxer, but Hill was too fast and clever for him, with the result that the verdict went to the Sydney boy. Truffier, who has watched Australian rules and methods very closely since then, is confident of reversing the decision this week.

An explanation of the cause of Georges Carpentier's defeat by Billy Papke is given by his manager, Francois Descamps, who insists that the Frenchman's defeat can be put down to the trouble Georges had in reducing his weight. A few days before the contest he was 4lb overweight, and to arrive at the limit Carpentier had to be massaged before huge fires many times a day. When Descamps saw how matters stood he told Carpentier that it was useless to attempt to do the middle-weight limit, but Georges held out. The strain, however, was too much for him. After the weighing formality, Carpentier could hardly eat, and he therefore mounted the ring very weak. After the first few rounds Georges told his manager that he felt too weak to do any good, so Descamps was prepared for defeat.

Another of the popular matinee displays will be given at the Stadium to-morrow afternoon, beginning at 3 o'clock. The ten-round contest is to be provided by the two Victorians, Joe Kane and Dave Walker. Kane, who recently won the amateur middleweight championship of Australasia, is an eccentric but powerful boxer, and Walker has had much ring experience. Four three-round contests will be boxed, and training exhibitions will be given by Paul Til, Sid Sullivan, Tim Land, and Jean Audouy.

The return match between Ercole De Balzac and Reg Midwood will take place on Saturday, December 14, when, judging by their last contest, an interesting bout should result.

FIXTURES.

The Stadium.—To-night: Sid Sullivan v Paul Til, 8.30; Thursday, December 5, Matinee Boxing display and Joe Kane v Dave Walker, 3; Saturday, December 7, Jimmy Hill v Leon Truffier; Wednesday, December 11, Tim Land v Jean Audouy.

The Sydney MAIL CHRISTMAS NUMBER

The Principal Feature

is a selection of stories by well-known Australian writers. All are well illustrated. They furnish an effective reply to people who believe or contend that Australians in their story-telling miss the brightness and humour of life. The encouragement extended by the "Mail" to the writers of the Commonwealth gives the paper a wide field of selection. The result is that the spirit of Christmas is sustained throughout, and laughter peals frequently from the pages. Sumner Locke, Boyd Cable, and Charles C. Russell are in happy mood in their stories; children will delight in "The Flying Damper," by G. M. V. Kearney; "A Skipper on Skates" suggests a certain amount of fun. Cecil Doyle has a capital polo story; "The Triumph of Eve," by M. Forrest, is a notable contribution, AND THERE ARE OTHERS.

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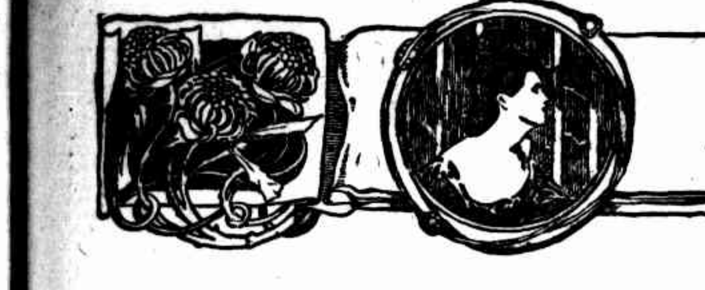

A PAGE FOR WOMEN

NOTICES.

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NATIONAL COUNCIL OF WOMEN.

The meeting of the National Council of Women, held yesterday afternoon, was of special interest and importance.

In the first place, it was the last meeting of the council at which Lady Chelmsford will preside in N.S.W.. Ever since her arrival in this State Lady Chelmsford has been president of the council, and her going will leave a blank, for hers has been no nominal office. She has been president in deed as well as in name, giving much time and thought to the council, its works, and helping by her personal interest and knowledge. In her farewell speech yesterday she spoke of the invaluable help the council had been to her. Instead of confining her interest and attention to half a dozen committees, as she would otherwise have had to do, she had been able to come into touch with all the different movements, and to get a grip of their aims and objects, through the National Council. For the council is the common meeting ground of all the women of New South Wales who are interested in the welfare of others.

The second matter of importance at yesterday's meeting was the amending of the constitution, a matter which has been the subject of much careful consideration. Formerly the weakness of the council lay in the fact that all the active work was done by the executive—a small body composed of a delegate of each affiliated society and the executive officers—while the members of the council met now and again to hear what had been done. Under the new constitution the whole council will be the working body, with the executive, a smaller body elected by the council, to transact the necessary business detail and to guide and govern. The delegates will no longer have cause to complain that the council has no interest for them. As Lady Chelmsford pointed out, each member may come to the meetings, bringing her share of knowledge, and taking part in the debates. She will be expected to come armed with her facts, and ready to speak on her subject. The executive will draw up a syllabus of work for the year, and women will be asked to speak on the special subjects of which they have most knowledge; but the delegates are invited to suggest subjects for discussion, and special work to be taken up by the council. Another improvement in the amended constitution is the provision made for the election, as temporary members, of individuals whose knowledge or experience would render their advice or aid of value in furthering some special work. In this way women who are not able to take a permanent part in the council's work will be able to give their specialised knowledge when occasion demands.

Lady Chelmsford laid special stress on the fact that the voice of the National Council is the voice of the general public of women, for it represents many thousands; and that, where a demand for reform made by one society might be ignored, the demand, or recommendation, of so many united bodies must carry weight. And when it is remembered that the National Council is world-wide, it can be clearly understood that when every country lifts up its voice against some social evil, as it has done in the case of the white slave traffic, then the woman's voice must be heard and noticed.

Lady Chelmsford concluded her address with a reference to the pleasure she had always had in working with the National Council, and her appreciation of her fellow-workers.

Mrs. Day then gave a short account of the work done by the health visitors in Sydney, a full report of which appears on another column; and Miss Blomfield spoke of the work done amongst consumptive patients.

FARMING FOR WOMEN.

"I do not think agriculture is a suitable profession for women," said Mr. H. C. L. Anderson, Under-Secretary for Agriculture, the other day. "And when I say that I am not just giving voice to a theory. I am speaking of a subject of which I have had practical knowledge. While I believe in the equality of the sexes in many things, you cannot get away from the fact that physically man is stronger than woman, except in odd cases. And in agricultural work physical strength is one of the first essentials. The farmer has to work through all weathers. No matter how hot it is the digging and ploughing, trenching and manuring must be done in their proper times, and there are very, very few women indeed who are strong enough to work hard all day in the open through an Australian summer. People are fond of quoting what women agriculturists have done in England, but the conditions are so different in the two countries that there is no comparison.

"Some years ago an Englishwoman arrived here with the idea of taking up market gardening. She was as strong and muscular a woman as I ever saw, but when she spoke to me about getting land I advised her to reconsider her plans. She laughed, and said she had done lots of farm work in England, and pooh-poohed my remark that our climate was somewhat different. However, she finally decided to work for a fortnight in somebody else's market garden. It was February, and at the end of two weeks she came in, looking a positive wreck, to tell me she could not go on with it. Certainly it was a bad time of the year for a newcomer to start, but she had enough grit to carry her through if it had been possible for her to stand it.

"Lots of people argue that there is no need for women to do the real hard work on a farm, that they can hire men to do it for them. But in these days of high wages there's no profit in that. Most women who go on the land take up small places, and the only way to make a small farm pay is for the farmer to do the work himself. By the time you have paid a man ten shillings a day to do the ploughing and the manuring—well, there's not much left.

"But I do believe that women are well suited for the lighter branches—what we call horticulture, rather than agriculture. Poultry-farming, beekeeping, strawberry-growing, and flower-gardening, are all things in which women might make a good living. In fact, it is my desire to give those who wish every facility for learning these things. There is a small farm at Dural, which I had hoped to establish as a practice farm for women. There are some young fruit trees there, so that they could learn pruning, in addition to the other things, and I think women should make very good pruners. They could learn the scientific part of poultry-farming, as well as the practical side; there is room for a good number of beehives, and also for strawberry beds. Unfortunately, there is no house accommodation at present, and to erect a suitable building for, say, a dozen women students would cost more than the department is prepared to spend at present, especially as we have no proof that there really is a demand for this training."

Women whose tastes are inclined to outdoor rather than indoor occupations will be very interested to know Mr. Anderson's views on this subject, and it does seem that if those who want to take up the lighter branches of farm work were sufficiently urgent in their demands, a woman's practice farm at Dural might soon be an accomplished fact. As taxpayers and voters, women certainly have a right to ask for such an establishment if they want it.

HEALTH VISITING AMONG MOTHERS.

The work of health-visiting is one which is comparatively little known in New South Wales but it occupies a very important niche in the social order, and is of vital importance to the community.

It was designed, primarily, to stem the waste of infant life so rife in cities. It has, however, another object—to improve the existing conditions of those infants who do not die. These latter are our future men and women, and, on the theory that prevention is better than cure, it is only by beginning at the earliest possible moment that they can be made into efficient citizens, properly equipped with health and strength for the battle of life.

There are, therefore, two factors in the work—the decrease of the death-rate and the care of the living. Briefly, the duty of the health visitor (or, as she is usually called, nurse-inspector) is to visit every new-born infant in the crowded centres of the poorer and more populous districts of the city and immediate suburbs and to instruct the mother in the care of her baby; to teach her, in many cases, the duties and responsibilities of parenthood, because, although in theory motherhood is inherent in every woman, in actual fact there have to be confronted the forces of ignorance, indifference, and, only too often, sheer neglect.

The work in Sydney is carried out by two inspectors from the Board of Health, and one from the City Council, all of whom are under the direction of Dr. W. G. Armstrong, Medical Officer of Health. Co-operation is also received from the two nurses of the Alice Rawson School for Mothers, an excellent institution, which owes its existence directly to the National Council of Women.

The information as to the births is obtained from the district registrar, and discretionary power is given to the inspector to visit only those whom she considers will receive benefit from her instruction (an excellent little pamphlet of "Instructions to Mothers" is issued by the Board of Health, and distributed through the agency of the registrars to the mothers).

It has been found that the better class of women welcome the visitor with cordiality, and are particularly receptive, letters, indeed, being frequently received asking for a visit. Owing to the smallness of the staff, the inspectors have to confine their attention to certain allotted districts, and, unfortunately, except in very urgent cases, only one visit can be paid to each home. By arrangement, however, the Alice Rawson nurses consult weekly with the inspectors, who furnish them with a list of those cases requiring special care. This help is invaluable, as it not only enables the inspector to keep in touch with the mothers, but ensures the necessary attention being given to delicate infants, or those whose mothers are, through illness, carelessness, poverty, bad environment, or other reasons, unable to give them proper care. As there are only two Alice Rawson nurses, it is obvious that only two districts can be thus kept under observation, those chosen being the city and Newtown. It is hoped that later the committee of the School for Mothers may see their way to appoint another nurse to act in a similar manner.

The Registration Act allows the mother 60 days in which to register the birth of her child, and herein lies the weak point of the system. The experience of those connected with the work goes to show that the average date at which the birth is registered is approximately six weeks, many mothers leaving it until almost the last day. It is a well-known fact that infant mortality is heaviest in the early weeks of life, and it is during that time that the mischief is done, for the young mother, in her inexperience and anxiety to do her duty, is easily the prey of all the well-meaning "Sairey Gamps" of the neighbourhood. If her work is to be efficient, the health visitor should be able to visit the home from at least the tenth day. For the last month it has been perfectly possible to accomplish this, owing to the passing of the Maternity Act, better known as the "baby bonus." At the present time the average rate has fallen to two weeks, many registrations being effected within a few hours of the baby's birth. Whether such an unprecedented state of things will continue it is impossible to say, as a period of three months is allowed the claimant for the bonus. Should it not do so, some action will be necessary to bring about an alteration of the law in this respect. A short measure providing that the nurse (or other proper person) shall notify the birth to the Medical Officer of Health, who thereupon, through his officers, arranges for the early visitation of the mother, would be sufficient. Such a law is in force in all the crowded centres in the United Kingdom, and has proved of incalculable benefit to the work. It is called the "Notification of Births Act," and does not interfere in any way with the ordinary registration of births.

It is well to glance for a few moments at some of the practical duties which the nurse inspector has to perform. She has to teach the mother many things, but principally the three essentials of a baby's life, viz., fresh air, cleanliness, and mother's milk. It is to this last cardinal point that she returns again and again, fighting the forces of carelessness, prejudice, and want of knowledge that lead the mother on to suppose that she cannot breast-feed her child, who, artificially fed, would in all probability fall a victim to that arch-enemy of infancy, gastro-enteritis, which lies in wait for its prey during the long, hot summer months. She must possess a goodly share of vitality, because the work itself is arduous, and calls for strength of body as well as purpose. Sympathy also is necessary, patience, optimism (for many discouragements will be met with), and above all the "mother-love" for little children. A nursing training is most useful, in order to recognise the onset of illness, and to advise as to whether a doctor should be consulted. (Actual nursing itself is outside the scope of the health visitor, whose time is too fully occupied to attend to it.) She should understand physiology and food values, and must be a teacher of the kind which can impart as well as absorb knowledge, and woe betide the unwary inspector who gives unreliable information to the mother, who is a stern critic, often asking the most pertinent questions. "First aid," too, is frequently of use to some small member of the family, and an acquaintance with the mysteries of "cutting out" may not come amiss, as fashions change even in baby garments.

No woman may become a health visitor in Sydney unless she obtains the certificate of the London Sanitary Institute. This is a very necessary precaution, because there are many details which only the trained eye of a sanitary inspector would observe. It is important that the environment of the child should be, at least, reasonably healthy, and to ensure this the inspector must be able to discern defects, which, from a sanitary point of view, would be inimical to the health and well-being of mother and child.

It will be contended that no one woman can possess the whole of the foregoing qualifications. Possibly not, but, as it is on the inspector that the whole burden of success or failure of the system must fall, a high standard should be sought, and ideal conditions aimed at.

The scheme of health visiting has passed the tentative stage. Nevertheless, there is much to be done before the system becomes perfected. An increased staff to allow of "follow-on" visits, and the complete visitation of the whole of the suburbs, a method of getting into touch with expectant mothers, lantern lectures to women, and improvement in prevailing methods of nursing, are among the many efforts which, it is hoped by those interested, will, in the near future, be put forth, to make the work of the health visitor in Sydney a powerful factor for good amongst those who seek the welfare of the child.

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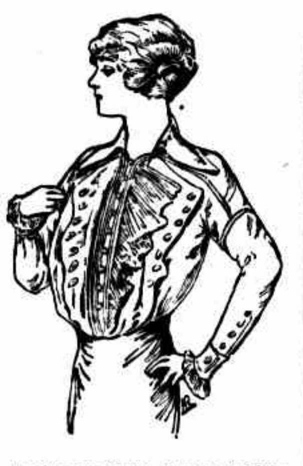
BOOKS FOR A GIRL OF TEN.

"Would you kindly suggest ten shillings' worth of books suitable for presentation to a girl of ten years?" writes a reader of the page.

It is a question that might be easily answered off-hand with a list of three or four names; but no book-lover could dismiss a question of book-buying in that casual fashion; and the literary needs of a child of ten are just as important as—if not more so than—those of a grown-up person. It is a little difficult to make suggestions without knowing what books the child has already, but we will imagine that she has not yet begun her girlhood's library.

Ten shillings does not seem to be a large sum to spend; it would not buy a hat or a blouse these days. But, fortunately, books have not "gone up" with everything else, and ten shillings wisely spent will buy quite a heap of treasures. As no child's book-shelf is complete without fairy tales, Hans Andersen and Grimm should be the starting point. These can be bought in nice volumes for 3s 6d, or in smaller editions for 1s 3d each.



An afternoon blouse of crepe de Chine, with a knife-pleated frill of net. The collar is of the new turned-back shape, with pointed corners.

The latter modest sum will also purchase "Alice in Wonderland" and "Through the Looking Glass," in good print, on good paper, and with the original illustrations. Can you imagine anything more delightful than being 10 years old and reading "Alice" for the first time?

One-and-three is rather a wonderful sum, for it will purchase almost any of the child's classics. It will buy "Little Women," "Uncle Remus," "The Swiss Family Robinson," Hawthorne's "Wonder Book," "The Water Babies," "Timothy's Quest," besides lots of lovely books for the older brothers and sisters.

Newer books, of course, are more expensive, but three and sixpence will pay for almost any book you can think of. One of the most delightful stories that has been written for children for many a day is Mrs. Hodgson Burnett's "The Secret Garden." It certainly ought to be on every child's book-shelf. Then there are the immortal "Jungle Books;" and "Puck of Pook's Hill" should not be forgotten. All girls love E. Nesbit's books, and "The Wonderful Garden" should be added to the "Treasure Seekers" and the "Would-be Goods."

To come to Australian books at half-a-crown or three and sixpence, there are Ethel Turner's, almost any of which could be enjoyed by a child of ten; Louise Mack's "Teens" and "Girls Together;" J. M. Whitfeld's "Tom, who was Rachel"; Mary Grant Bruce's "Little Bush Maid" and "Glen Eyre;" and Mrs. Gunn's "Little Black Princess." And in Australian nature books, which most children love so dearly, there are "Dot and the Kangaroo," "Bushland Stories," and "Bill Baillie."

The love of verse is innate in most children, and if it is fostered it adds much joy to life in later years. No gift of books to a little girl would be complete without at least one book of verse. There are several collections of children's poems to be had at different prices, from a shilling upwards; and for half-a-crown can be purchased Stevenson's "Child's Garden of Verses," or Henry Newbolt's Rooms, many of which appeal strongly to girls of ten. Then, for the modest sum of one shilling, can be bought Maybanke Anderson's book of "Australian Songs for Australian Children." Perhaps the "Golden Treasury" ought to be put in our little lady's hands.

If more instructive books are desired, there are the attractive volumes in the "Peeps at Many Lands" series at one and nine, and the stories from the classics in the "Told to the Children" series. Indeed, it seems that the lucky little girl with ten shillings to spend will be able to buy enough books to give her enjoyment for many a year to come.

INVALID COOKERY.

Everyone who has had any experience of nursing knows how difficult it is to cater for an invalid or a convalescent. In many cases feeding is of the utmost importance, and yet food is often the last thing the patient seems to want; and one of the nurse's problems is how to tempt the appetite. That all invalid meals should be daintily served is a sine qua non, but many nurses, especially amateur ones, do not realise the importance of a change of diet. The invalid grows so tired of seeing eggs, brains, and milk puddings served up the same way, day after day, that soon nothing tempts him. In the ordinary household where sickness is unusual, there is little knowledge of invalid cooking, and many women will welcome a little cookery book, which has just been published.

It is called "Invalid and Convalescent Cookery," and the name of the author, Miss Kate Harriott, is enough to recommend it to most women, for Miss Harriott has not only had years of experience of general cooking, but for some years past she has been teaching the nurses in several Sydney hospitals how to cook and serve meals for their patients. The recipes contained in the little volume are all tried ones, and throughout the book notes are given on the reason why some food is more nourishing than others, or why bad cooking spoils good material. Directions are also given for preparing trays and serving meals, and such important advice as "Eggs and milk should be perfectly fresh," "Perfect cleanliness is essential," may seem superfluous to some of us, but is undoubtedly necessary for many. Recipes are given for appetising invalid drinks, for cooking fish and eggs in various ways, for simple cakes and sweets suitable for the weak digestion, and one chapter is devoted to the subject of vegetables. Indeed, on reading through the little volume one felt that a week or so in bed would be quite endurable if one's nurse could prepare all those dainty dishes.

BOOKS TO READ.

FICTION.

"Mightier than the Sword:" Alphonse Courlander.
"The Streets of Ascalon:" R. W. Chambers.
"The Lost World:" A. Conan Doyle.
"The Joyous Adventures of Aristide Pujol:" William Locke.
"The Romance of Billy Goat Hill:" Alice Hegan Rice.

MISCELLANEOUS.

"The Shadow Show:" J. H. Curle.
"The Letters of George Meredith."

PUCK'S GIRDLE.

I'll put a girdle round about the earth in forty minutes.—"Midsummer Night's Dream."

This afternoon the fete and industrial exhibition which has been arranged in aid of the South Sydney Hospital will be opened by his Excellency Lord Chelmsford. The exhibition will remain open for a week, and as a surprising number of attractions have been arranged, the hospital should greatly profit by it.

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The Christmas bells are in full bloom now, and at week-ends the bush is noisy with the voices of pickers. There are no flowers more popular, for in addition to their brightness there is a sentiment connected with them which is rare in our bush. With the Christmas bush they share the honours of Yuletide, and rare indeed is the Australian who can resist their orange beauty. The December bush without Christmas bells would be a tragedy that few would care to contemplate, and no one would wantonly destroy the bells. Yet not one person in a hundred seems to know the right way to pick them, and most pickers pluck them out from their bulbs. This hurts the bulbs, and weakens the crop for next year. The flowers should be cut with a knife or scissors, or else snapped off a few inches above the ground; but the white root-end of the stem should never be dragged from the bulb. Most of the destruction to our wild flowers is done in ignorance, and we hope that this hint will be useful to the many people who will be scouring the bush for Christmas bells during the next few weeks.

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The Playgrounds Association of New South Wales has made an excellent beginning in its propaganda work by the publishing of a leaflet, "Can the Child Survive Civilisation?" This is reprinted by permission of the Playgrounds Association of America, and puts forth in terse, clear language the reasons for the need of playgrounds. "Better a playground without a schoolhouse than a schoolhouse without a playground" is one phrase that will give food for thought. Everyone who is interested in the welfare of children should avail themselves of any literature on this subject, for it is one of the most important problems in city life. The leaflet mentioned, which will be followed by others, can be obtained, free of charge, from the secretary of the association, Mrs. Frances Anderson, Arundel-street, Glebe.

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The idea of establishing a co-operative store in one of the poorer suburbs of Melbourne is suggested by members of the Women's Guild of Victoria. They hope by means of an entertainment on a large scale to be able to rent or buy a store in a district where there is the greatest necessity, and to engage an employee to distribute the goods. It would then be possible for many to obtain good value at a moderate rate.

Old-age pensioners whose allowance now (with the increased cost of living) barely gives them sufficient to live on, could manage comfortably with goods at first cost. Charitably-disposed people could give an order on the store instead of financial assistance. If the system is thoroughly organised it should work well and benefit a struggling class who are at present always on the brink of starvation.

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A writer from Adelaide tells of the enthusiastic send-off given to Miss Grace Watson on her departure for Europe last week. Miss Watson whose name has been in the foremost list of political women for years past, and who was organising secretary of the Victorian Women's National League for a number of years, has been engaged in political work in South Australia for the past two years. During that time she has made many friends, and on her departure received many expressions of affection, including a gold watch and bangle, a purse of sovereigns and a beautiful travelling case and a handbag.

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"Ninam" writes:—"In the 'Page for Women' of last Wednesday's issue there was an interesting article on the longevity of the Russians but on that score the Bulgarians are even more remarkable, for, like King Charles, they are an 'unconscionable time a-dying!' Statisticians say that they are the longest-lived race in the world; 130 with them being no uncommon age. The Swedes come next; 105 with them being considered a reasonable lifetime. The vigour and longevity of the Bulgarians is attributed not only to their outdoor life, but more especially to the yoghurt, or curdled milk, which forms one of their staple foods."

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"In Chicago I was charmed to hear it stoutly and even challengingly maintained that the root of Chicago University was not Mr. Rockefeller, but the parents of Chicago," writes Arnold Bennett in Harper's "Monthly Magazine."

WITHOUT REASON.

It will be hard for even their keenest sympathisers to justify the latest action of some of the English suffragists, who have been putting acids into letter-boxes. Very few Australian women have agreed with the militant tactics of the English women; to most of us their methods have appeared to be ill-judged, to say the least of it. Still, while doubting the wisdom of their actions, it has been possible to see their point of view, and in some instances to sympathise with, if not to approve of, their method of attack. The argument of the militant suffragist has been—"We asked quietly for the suffrage for 50 years, and no one listened. By our militant actions we have aroused more interest and enlisted more sympathy in our cause in half a dozen years than your patient women did by waiting in half a dozen decades."

There is a good deal of truth in that argument, and as long as the militants stopped at organising processions, refusing to pay taxes until they had representation, or making their voices heard in the House of Parliament, they had a great deal of sympathy and support amongst Australian women. But this latest method of making themselves felt has done more than anything else to alienate sympathy. Its very stupidity is enough to disgust reasonable people, not to mention the mischief that may be done. So long as their attacks were upon the Ministers who refused to hear them one could understand even the methods of which one most strongly disapproved; but what they seek to gain by destroying the letters of innocent and inoffensive people it is impossible to imagine. The action is so absolutely stupid, as well as criminal, that it is hard to believe it is approved by the more level-headed. One can only imagine that it is the work of some unbalanced and hysterical women.

For no woman who stopped for a moment to consider the consequences would wantonly destroy the contents of a mail box. Who knows what matters of life and death may be contained in the letters; who can say what tragedy might result from a letter that never reached its destination, or how a whole life might be altered for lack of a written word? With most people respect for other's correspondence is an instinct, and it is difficult to imagine the mental attitude which would impel women to such an outrageous deed as the wholesale destruction of letters. We can only hope for the reputation of the many brave and able women who are working in the cause of suffrage, that this latest act of criminal folly will be publicly condemned by all women who wish to preserve their own dignity and the dignity of their cause.

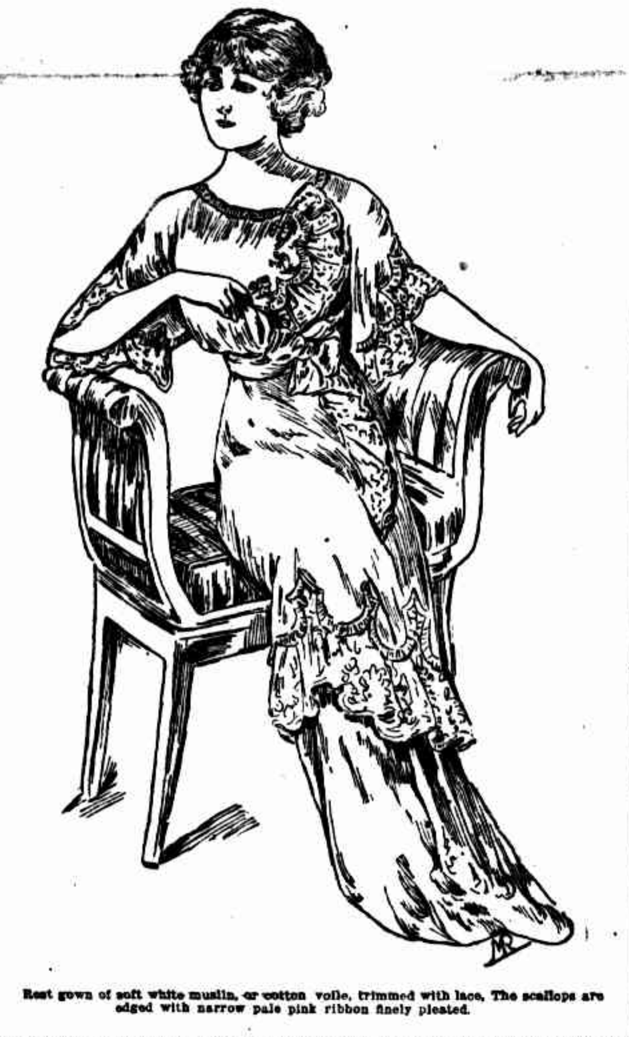
THE TRAVELLING SCHOOL.

The school in every suburb is so much a matter of course with city people that few of us ever stop to wonder how the children in the far-off places are educated, or, indeed, whether they receive any education at all. We know that the State insists upon universal education, and we take it for granted that every child is given the chance to learn. But there are scattered through the length and breadth of New South Wales over a thousand children who have no chance of attending any school. These are the children of those pioneer families who have pushed off the beaten track, leaving the advantages of civilisation behind them; and because the man and woman who have the courage to go out in the wild are most valuable in the development of our country, it is the duty of the State to see that they and theirs do not suffer unduly.

For nearly five years now the Queensland Government has been making educational provision for these children, who are out of touch of even the subsidised schools. For three years our own educational department has been testing the scheme in the Narrabri district, and now, satisfied that the return is more than worth the expense, the authorities are about to appoint four more travelling teachers. These men—they must be men—will travel in a light covered waggonette, carrying with them a tent and all necessary impedimenta. Each teacher will have his own district, which he will cover once in two months, and on his route he will spend a week or so with the different families on the way, giving instruction. The lessons given will vary according to the knowledge or ignorance of the pupils. Books, ranging from coloured picture-books to the masters of literature, will be left for the scholars' use, the parents and older children will be persuaded, when able, to help in the lessons of the little ones, and a certain amount of study will be set, to be prepared by his next visit. In this way every child will be given an opportunity of acquiring at least the rudiments of education.

The report of the work done already by the travelling teacher is most encouraging. The bush children have been found quick to learn, and in most instances the parents have been eager and interested, many of them taking part in the lessons. The instruction given has proved to be far beyond the elementary stage; history has been a subject of interest; poetry has made its appeal, many of the scholars taking a pride and joy in reciting the poems they have learned. Arithmetic has been found most successful when the problems dealt with familiar subjects, and most of the pupils have shown a keen knowledge of local geography. Manners, too, are not forgotten, and the teacher does not miss his opportunity of introducing the refinements of thought and speech to his pupils.

One week out of eight in which to acquire knowledge is not very much, but at present it is the best that can be given, and the parents are more than grateful for even this much. And when it is realised that—if he does no more—the travelling teacher at least opens the gates of literature to those isolated children, it must be admitted that the State is doing its duty to every one of its citizens, and giving them all a chance.



Rest gown of soft white muslin, or cotton voile, trimmed with lace. The scallops are edged with narrow pale pink ribbon finely pleated.

AUSTRALIANS ABROAD.

(FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, Nov. 1.

The first meeting of the Australasian section of the Royal Colonial Institute was held last night. It was resolved that some arrangements should be made by Australians in London for a celebration of Anniversary Day in 1913.

A dinner is being given to-night at the Trocadero to Sir John M'Call, the Agent-General for Tasmania, who is returning to Tasmania for some months before taking up his second term of appointment in London.

The marriage took place at St. Mary Abbott's, Kensington, on October 19, of Lieut. Ralph George Dinwiddy, R.N., younger son of Mr. Thomas Dinwiddy, of Manor House, Blackheath, London, and Miss Marjorie Thomson, daughter of Mr. Henry Augustus Thomson, of Darling Point, Sydney. Lieut. Dinwiddy was lately on the Australian station in H.M.S. Encounter. The bride entered the church on the arm of Sir Richard Poore, lately Commander-in-Chief of the Australian Squadron. The only bridesmaid was Miss Marjorie Street, of Sydney. The reception was held at 18 Thorney-court, Palace Gate, which was kindly lent by Mrs. Lee Lord.

Sir Charles and Lady Mackellar left London this week on their return to Australia. Miss Mackellar is accompanying them as far as Naples, but will afterwards return to spend six months in London.

FASHION AS SHE IS.

The rest gown, or the "robe d'interieur," as it is called by the Frenchwoman, is always a garment of interest, and in summer these lounging robes are delightfully cool and inviting. They are seen in dainty flowered muslins and dimities, with pretty little muslin and lace collars and cuffs trimming them. Cotton crepes and voiles are also comfortable and suitable, and effective colour schemes can be obtained by having a cream voile over lining of India silk in a dainty shade—such as rose pink.

Of course, there are the more elaborate "rest gowns," made of soft clinging satin, with ninon and flimsy laces. Some of them have the coatee effect, showing the high waistline.

A charming and fascinating gown was in a delicate shade of soft rose pink silk, veiled with chiffon of the same shade, the chiffon having a band of roses at the edge.

Another idea is to have two deep plaited flounces, to give the double-skirt effect. Some of the lounge gowns are quite elaborate enough to wear as a small dinner frock. A simple little "rest" frock was in hemstitched dimity, beribboned and flounced with net scallops. Another was a charming example carried out in dotted swiss muslin, with a trimming of Valenciennes lace. A Dutch neck and elbow sleeves, with the skirt beruffled, looked most fascinating.

Blouses are always more or less an interesting topic to most women. Some of the models seen are most attractive and effective. A pretty model in a soft white satin or broche white charmeuse was very smart, yet maintained the simple lines. Dainty rolled collars and frills of fine lace or tulle help to trim the dressy blouses.

Another fascinating blouse was in embroidered voile, and trimmed with dotted net and lace. It was made all in one piece, without any seams on the shoulders, the sleeves being set in and showing the armhole lower down; they were finished at the elbow with soft Malines lace frills. Very graceful was the trimming, of soft net, finished with lace to match. Arranged over the front of the blouse, and extended down the back to form a sort of postillion, it was held in place at the waistline by a belt of black satin. The front edges were lapped over a panel of the plain material, and held together by a large black button; while a serried row of very small black buttons was seen down the centre of the blouse.

Many of the lace blouses worn are no longer veiled with chiffon or ninon. The trimming, however, consists of the collars and cuffs and revers being of chiffon, black being often chosen.

Some of the smart separate blouses are of white tulle, and are hand-tucked, made quite in a tailor fashion. These blouses are most effective when worn with tailored suits of soft satin or taffeta silk.

The polo shirt of silk is coming to the front, as one of the most popular blouses. It is made without any pleats or trimming of any kind, having long shoulder seams and plain long sleeves. These end in two-inch turned-over cuffs, stitched at the edge, and fastened through with link buttons. The fastening is down the front, and the collar is turned over, and pulled in tight around the neck with a cravat.

Muslin blouses are seen, with fine pleats, and have also seam beading at all the seams. These blouses depend for fluffiness upon the plaited soft frill in front.

A quaint idea for a new underwaist is to have it made of dotted Swiss muslin. The edge is simply finished with very fine Torchon, the dots done over in mercerised cotton of a colour, and in deep points or in a "V" shape, the point of "V" being at the waistline. The ribbon run in the garment matches the colour in which the dots are embroidered.

In many cases the lingerie frocks so much worn will have as their adjuncts sashes, girdles, handbags, and hats in all one colour. When one comes to the topic of bags, I am afraid description fails me, as there is such a variety that it appears endless. All the old favourites seem to have revived, with many new things in addition. Bags of towelling in various shades and shapes are seen to match the gown. It is a fad of the moment to have handbags made of the same material as the gown—that is, if the material of the gown is heavy enough.

Any short lengths of deep lace are not to be despised. They are quite easy to convert into those very dainty jabots which are so much worn nowadays. An idea is to use a lawn handkerchief for such a purpose. It is used for the foundation, a few Irish crochet lace motifs helping to trim it. A hemstitched border generally decorates the handkerchief or drawn-thread edge.

Another new idea for neckwear is the collar and plastron in white duck, with a trimming of tiny buttons and a black satin turnover. This plastron is seen in a "V" shape, and extends from the sides of the collar to a point just above the waistline, very much resembling a yoke.

A novel lingerie tie is a ribbon of about two and a half inches wide, run through a small buckle, which is cut from cardboard, and covered with the same ribbon. Sometimes the ribbon ends may be seen embroidered.

There is a new feature in the headgear line which I must not forget to mention, as it is quite distinct. Some of the smartest hats have the trimming under the brim. Tiny bunches of field flowers, roses, flat bows of velvet ribbon are seen ornamenting the hat underneath the wide brim in a most becoming fashion.

MABEL.

"AT THE EXHIBITION."

Scene: Exhibition room. Brown canvas walls covered with pictures. A muddy-coloured light streams through the skylight. Chairs of various degrees of hardness invite the spectator to sit, but not for long. A slight feeling of church restraint is in the air. People hold their catalogues like hymn books, and talk in whispers. From an adjoining room a lusty voice with foreign accent is heard conducting a dancing lesson.

Straw-hatted youth (patriotically): "Not a bad show for Sydney, is it, in spite of what some of these johnnies say?"

Companion (temperately): "Good enough for people that like it—too much of a sameness for me. Let's have a look at the water-colours."

Girl student (despairingly): "How does he get the effect? Two lines and a wiggle, and there you are! But when I do that it looks like a something whittled out with a paper-knife!"

Second ditto (sententiously): "Ah! Genius will tell!"

Elderly lady, purple bonnet (in horrified whisper): "Maudie, dearie, come away an' don't look at them pictures, leastways not while the gents. is 'ere. They ain't nice!"

Maudie (with conviction): "Oh, ma, you're so narrow—why, they're wonderfully clever! His figures are astonishingly realistic."

Lady (moving away): "Mebbe so, dearie, but I'd like them better with more clothes on—an' I don't think your pa 'd like you to look at a gentleman what 'as 'orns on 'is 'ead like a goat. Come over 'ere an' look at the pretty vawses."

Voice from adjoining room: "Wan, toh, tree! Wan, toh, tree—no, no, dat is wrong. Wan, toh, etc."

First critic (stroking chin): "Wonderful effect!"

Second (head on one side): "Nevertheless, the shoulder's a bit out!"

Third (tapping catalogue with a pencil): "That pose of the neck!"

Fourth (heatedly): "Oh, hang it all—look at the spirit of it! What odds about the detail! It is the introspective work we want. Andrea del Sarto could be spared, but Raphael never. Read your Browning (quotes) 'What hand and brain went ever paired?' "

Second (making strokes in the air): "All the same, just the least wee bit—so—would have made all the difference. Now, look at this other type!" (They move away.)

Girl in blue: "They talk cleverly, don't they, Auntie? I love to hear them. I think they must be the critics."

Auntie (grey-haired, spectacled): "They are certainly lavish with their opinions. I question if any one of those young gentlemen has ever done anything more ambitious than the front fence or the kitchen dresser."

Girl in blue (with disappointment): "But how could they talk so."

Auntie (solemnly): "My dear, the man who does, doesn't talk. Read your Byron—on second thoughts, perhaps you'd better not—but it is he who tells us that the 'critics are ready-made.' And I think it is Wordsworth who also speaks deprecatingly of the so-called critical faculty, and insinuates that the true critic is he who can improve on what he criticises."

Vision in grey, with much fluffiness of feather boa (high-pitched voice): "Fraightfully chahming, are they not? I so enjoy the private view, when one comes in contact with one's own class. It is quaite impossible to judge effects in a crowd. Come and look at the quaint blaose, deah, then I must go. My maid is away!"

Auntie (looking after her): "Marvellous—simply marvellous. Three years ago that young woman used to sell stockings at Hosem Bros., and didn't know one end of a brush from another. Now she adorns private views, and I suppose is also among the critics."

Military Voice: "Decadent spirit, my boy! we're becomin' too soft. What can you expect when an able-bodied man spends his time in paintin' violets on China plates! Just the same before the fall of Rome!"

Gentleman in baggy suit, flowing tie, looking as if he had "slept in his hair" for several nights: "The sheer audacity of that foreshortening. Note the effect on the muscle. But what I can't make out is the inconsistency in this colour scheme. Do you notice it? It absolutely ruins the whole thing for me."

Business Man: "I think it's a jolly fine little picture, and I only wish I'd the necessary stuff to buy it."

Bonneted Lady (before nude figure—gaspingly): "Maudie, I'm goin' 'ome. I think it's wicked. Come away at onct. No more drorin' lessons for you."

Maudie (protestingly): But, ma, they must have studies like that."

Bonneted Lady: "Well, let 'em wear skirts and blouses like decent Christian folk. I never did see——" (Exit, followed by pouting Maudie).

Excited voice: "Wan—toh—tree, an' a hop—wan—toh—tree."

Girl in Blue: "Auntie I don't like her eyes; they give me the creeps."

Auntie (surveying figure through lorgnette): "What have we here? Dear me; more flesh. What an exceedingly savage-looking young person. Prehistoric, I suppose. I feel inclined to say with "Alice" that tho' he makes an ugly young woman she would make a very handsome tiger."

First Critic: "There is a suggestion of Rubens in that flesh."

Second: "And for that very reason it lacks soul."

Third: "My dear fellow, why will you persist in thinking that all sublimity and delicacy belong to the Italian school?"

Fourth: "And I say that those qualities are not the prerogatives of any school. Let us get down to fundamentals. I suppose you will grant that the three essentials are colouring, drawing, and sentiment, and therefore——"

Military Voice: "And I say that one Verestchagin is worth a round dozen of cup-and-saucer artists. But what can you expect, sir?"

Straw-hatted Youth (folding up catalogue): "Well, I think we've done our duty by local talent, what say you?"

Companion (fingering cigarette case): "Me too, Charley. I think it's up to us to 'do a buzz.' What about the 'Tiv.' to-night?"

Clock chimes hour.

General exodus.

T.C.

THE HOME MISSION SOCIETY.

The work of the Home Mission Society, the parent of the Mission Zone, has an even larger scope than the districts administered to in the crowded town areas, said Mrs. Wright, last week, at a meeting of the Home Mission Society. Grants are supplied for chaplains in our large hospitals—the lepers at the Lazarette in connection with the Coast Hospital are not forgotten. There is an agent to welcome and look after the immigrants, a worker to minister to the navvies at the mining camps; grants are given for assistant clergy to cope with the growing population of the suburbs, the mining villages, the scattered country places and the bush parishes.

"The idea of a Ladies' Home Mission Union was first put forth 18 months ago at a meeting in the vestibule of the Town Hall. It is a matter of common knowledge that in all movements, social, political, philanthropic, as well as religious, it is not very long before the aid of women is enlisted.

"Without putting too high an estimate on ourselves, we know that women can accomplish much, and that is why we are so anxious to enlist them in Home Mission work. In England, thousands of pounds are raised annually by similar Ladies' Unions. Our band of women, now numbering nearly 2000, hold a card of membership—they undertake to pray for the work of Home Missions, including the Mission Zone, to give the minimum subscription of 2s 6d per year and two articles of work—the clothing given is distributed to the poor and needy in the Mission Zone districts, and has already been much appreciated. Over £350 has been raised by this effort in the short time since its foundation. We trust to make a large annual increase and gladly welcome new members. Larger subscriptions are also willingly received and passed on through the Ladies' Home Mission Union to the Society and the Mission Zone. Members have joined all over the State and outside our borders, having been much struck with the idea of a women's effort. One particular advantage of the Ladies' Home Mission is that it enables many to take part in the work, some who have little to give, but of that little they give gladly. We number old-age pensioners and many to whom the small gift represents real self-denial among our members."

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LAW REPORT.

HIGH COURT.

(Before Sir Samuel Griffith, C.J., Mr. Justice Barton, and Mr. Justice Isaacs.)

THE SYDNEY MEAT COMPANY.

APPEAL BY A SHAREHOLDER.

The hearing was resumed of the appeal by William John Miles, on behalf of himself and the shareholders of the Sydney Meat Preserving Company, Ltd., the respondent being the company and its directors, William Wright Richardson, Walter Russell Hall, John Bassett Christian, and Lewis Potter Bain.

Mr. Mitchell, K.C., and Mr. Clive Teece, instructed by Messrs. Leibius and Black, appeared for the appellants; Mr. Shand, K.C., and Mr. Maughan, instructed by Messrs. Holdsworth and Son, for the company, and the first respondent; and Mr. Knox, K.C., and Mr. Mann, instructed by Messrs. Holdsworth and Son, for the other defendants.

The appeal was against the judgment of Mr. Justice Simpson, Chief Judge in Equity, delivered last March. The main ground of appeal was that his Honor should have held that the manner in which the business of the company is being carried on was a fraud on the rights of the minority of shareholders.

Mr. Mitchell contended that, if the directors were not carrying on the business of the company as a commercial concern, it was ultra vires of the by-law of the company. The appellants' case was that the directors were making the main object of the company the keeping up of prices of stock in the interests of graziers, the bulk of the shareholders being graziers, and disregarding the making of profits altogether.

The main issue was, said Mr. Mitchell, whether the company was bound to carry on its business as a commercial concern, with the idea of making profits with a view of distributing dividends amongst the shareholders, or whether it was entitled to say that its policy was to buy stock to make just enough profits to enable it to hold its own without getting into debt.

During his argument, Mr. Mitchell pointed out that the profits of the company were absorbed in the assets. The reserve fund was £75,000, and £10,000 had been written off for depreciation.

The Chief Justice said it appeared that a loss made in one year was written off in subsequent years.

Mr. Knox: It is simply a case of writing off the debts on the profit and loss account.

Mr. Mitchell pointed out that in some years as many as a million sheep were purchased, and the subsidy on that number would be £12,500.

Mr. Knox contended that his clients were correct in their action so long as they did not go outside the articles of association.

The Chief Justice remarked that it appeared the company treated the fund as one of dividend equalisation.

Mr. Knox: The shareholders always had their remedy in turning out the directors if their policy was regarded as being against the interests of the company.

The Chief Justice said he could understand appellants coming to the Court and asking for an injunction to restrain the company from receiving any contributions from the stockowners.

Mr. Mitchell: We want the company to be conducted as a company to earn profits, which the shareholders will get the benefit of in the end.

Mr. Justice Isaacs: You want sections 26 and 45 of the articles of association (providing for dividends) to be enforced.

Mr. Mitchell: Exactly; but we do not want to restrain the discretion of the directors of the company to conduct the business from time to time along the lines they think best.

Mr. Justice Barton: If that means giving up the subsidy, do you want them to give it up?

Mr. Mitchell: Certainly. We want the business conducted in such a way as to make it possible for the shareholders to get dividends.

Continuing, Mr. Mitchell said he relied upon the fact that throughout the whole of the 41 half-yearly reports of the company there were positive statements that the operations were devoted solely to the keeping up of prices, and to the relieving of the market in times of glut. Also that from first to last there was not a single reference to the possibility of dividends, not even a reference to whether the company were or were not making a profit. "The profit and loss account, and the balance-sheet are attached hereto," was the only bare statement on the matter contained in the reports.

Mr. Justice Isaacs: Then you say that their whole effort has been to keep afloat, merely for the purpose of helping the graziers, and to be always ready, in a time of glut, to keep up the prices, and that when they do make a profit they use it for the benefit of the graziers?

Mr. Mitchell said that was the contention, and the actual fact.

The case was not concluded when the Court rose.

SUPREME COURT.

BANCO COURT.

(Before Mr. Justice Ferguson and a jury of four.)

BIG CLAIM FOR RESUMPTION.

Pastoral Finance Association, Ltd., v Minister for Works.

Mr. J. L. Campbell, K.C., and Mr. A. Thomson, instructed by Messrs. Stephen, Jaques, and Stephen, appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. Wise, K.C., and Mr. Pike, instructed by the Crown Solicitor (Mr. J. V. Tillett) for the defendant. This was an action brought by the plaintiff association against the Minister for Works for the purpose of having assessed by the jury the value of certain land at Jones Bay, the property of the plaintiff, and resumed by the Government on March 29 of last year, in connection with the construction of public wharfs. Mr. Campbell, in opening the case to the jury, said the property in question was at Jones Bay, which looked out upon the main water way of Darling Harbour, near Darling Island, where the old A.S.N. Company once had its depot yards, and now used largely in the shipment of wheat. The land had the advantage of a most convenient access to the railway system of Darling Harbour, and possessed a good water frontage, which was, of course, an important element of value to the association, in view of trade development. The association already had a depot or stores at Kirribilli, used mainly for the storage of wool, but being on the other side of the harbour it did not possess the capacity or situation for the freezings, cold storage, and export business which the association was then carrying on to a large extent. It was strongly impressed upon the directors of the association that, owing to the increase in the volume of trade, the method of its business would have to be remodelled, and that it would be necessary to obtain additional accommodation, not only for the freezing and cold storage part of their business, but for the storage of wool, for which purpose the Kirribilli buildings were not sufficient. Provision had also to be made in regard to the rabbit freezing and export business, which was reaching large dimensions. It therefore became necessary to acquire a site for the purpose within the metropolitan zone, and in 1910 a purchase was made of land at Jones Bay, in area 1 rood 36¾ perches, with a frontage to Mill-street of 115ft 1½in, and water frontage of 98ft 4in. It also had an elevation from the water frontage of 50ft or 60ft, which was a desideratum in the handling and shipping of wool, etc. Reclamation work was carried out to a point far below the low water mark, and by that means sufficient depth for shipping was secured. In March of last year, however, the Minister for Works resumed the land for purposes already stated, and the plaintiff association contended that it had lost a site eminently suitable, not only for coping with increasing business, but for saving expenditure which would otherwise be necessary. The association was also placed in a difficulty in obtaining another site equally suitable. The association estimated that it was entitled to £25,000 compensation.

During the afternoon the jury inspected the land, and the case stands part heard.

NO. 1 JURY COURT.

(Before Mr. Justice Pring and a jury of four.)

A MOTOR-CAR ACCIDENT.

VERDICT FOR DEFENDANT.

Moore v Young.

Mr. Gannon, K.C., and Mr. Windeyer, instructed by Messrs. John Williamson and Sons, appeared for the plaintiff, and Mr. J. L. Campbell, K.C., and Mr. Kelynack, instructed by Messrs. Sly and Russell, for the defendant. This was an action brought by George William Moore, who is in the service of the Harbour Trust, against Charles Ernest Young, sugar planter, Queensland, to recover compensation for injuries sustained by him, and caused, as alleged, by the negligence of the defendant in driving a motor car. His case was that about 6 o'clock on the evening of June 23 last he was about to enter a North Sydney tram at Falcon-street to go to Mosman. He had one hand on the iron stanchion outside, and was in the act of stepping on to the footboard when defendant came along in a motor car and swept him off. His injuries proved to be of so serious a character that he was laid up for three months in hospital, and not only suffered a great deal of pain, but was put to heavy expense for medical attendance and nursing. Damages were laid at £1000. Defendant pleaded not guilty. The jury returned a verdict for the defendant, but suggested that, although finding for the defendant, it was their wish that he should pay plaintiff's medical expenses, amounting to £118 5s 6d.

His Honor: I have no doubt, Mr. Kelynack, you will convey the suggestion to your client.

Mr. Kelynack said he would do so.

DISPUTE ABOUT A PATENT.

Henry v Gilruth.

Mr. Curtis, instructed by Mr. William Arnott, appeared for the plaintiff, and Mr. Pickburn and Mr. C. G. Addison, instructed by Messrs. M'Lachlan and Murray, for the defendant. This was an action brought by Ebenezer John Henry against John Gilruth to recover compensation under the following particulars of claim:—To one-third of the price received by the defendant on the sale of his patent rights to the patent known as the "Radium gas light" for the State of Queensland, £25; and one-third of the price received by the defendant for the sale of his patents for the said light for the Dominion of New Zealand, £500; total, £750.

Defendant pleaded not indebted.

In the course of the hearing it was admitted that the amount to which plaintiff was entitled, if anything, was £250.

The jury returned a verdict for the defendant.

A SETTLEMENT.

Mears v R. J. Clarke and Co. (Australasia), Ltd.

Dr. Brissenden, instructed by Messrs. Mark Mitchell and Forsyth, appeared for the plaintiff, Alfred Mitchell; and Mr. Wyndham Davies, instructed by Mr. A. B. Davies, for the defendant. It was announced that this action which was one in regard to the lease of certain premises in Market-street, had been settled on terms filed in Court.

NO. 2 JURY COURT.

(Before Mr. Justice Sly and a jury.)

CLAIM AGAINST CHIEF RAILWAY COMMISSIONER.

Further evidence was given in the action brought by Robert Shannon to recover £51,450 from the Chief Railway Commissioner, in respect of a certain land resumption.

The case stands part heard.

IN EQUITY.

(Before Mr. Justice Rich.)

VENTILATION OF MINES.

Broken Hill Junction North S.M. Co., v Broken Hill Junction L.M., Co.

This case is still part heard.

(Before Mr. Justice Street.)

A WINDING UP ORDER.

Re Humby's Australian Timber Co.

Mr. Harriott, instructed by Mr. A. J. M'Donald, appeared for the petitioning creditors, and applied for an order winding up the company. There was no appearance for respondent. The application was granted, and Mr. W. H. Palmer was appointed official liquidator.

(Before Mr. Justice Rich.)

QUESTION OF VENTILATION.

Broken Hill Junction North S.M. Co. v Broken Hill Junction L.M., Co.

This suit is still part heard.

IN DIVORCE.

(Before Mr. Justice Gordon.)

MASON v MASON.

His Honor reserved judgment in the suit brought by Ellen Marie Althea Mason (formerly Hill) for a dissolution of her marriage with Frederick Strickland Mason.

DECREES MADE ABSOLUTE.

His Honor pronounced absolute, the decrees nisi granted in the following suits:—Annie Vittoria Ball Wallace v John Walter Wallace; Florence Amelia Ball, v William Ball, Leslie Shaw Elliott v Annie Elliott (Leslie Milligen co-respondent); Florence Pierce v William Pierce; Charlotte Elizabeth Farthing v William Robert Farthing; Charlotte Ann Styles v Septimus Styles; Annie May Senior v Stanton John Senior; Mary Skelton v Charles Skelton; Andrew Gray, v Levina Gray.

INDUSTRIAL COURT.

(Before Mr. Justice Heydon.)

APPEAL FROM AWARD.

His Honor heard further argument in the appeal by L. G. Abrams, in connection with the Furniture Trade Award, regarding brush-making.

Decision was reserved.

PROBATE COURT.

(Before Mr. Justice Street.)

DISPUTED WILL.

M'Millan v M'Millan.

Mr. Broomfield and Mr. Nicholas, (instructed by Mr. S. W. Dowling, of Grafton (by his agents, Messrs. Dowling and Taylor) appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. Wyndham J. E. Davies, instructed by Mr. T. M'Lennan Lobban, of Maclean (by his agents, Messrs. Lobban and Lobban), for the defendant. The plaintiff, Angus M'Millan, in his statement of claim, set out that at the date of her will and death, Margaret M'Millan, of Woodford Leigh, Clarence River, was possessed of property in New South Wales. On May 9, 1910, being of sound and disposing mind, memory, and understanding, she duly executed her will, appointing plaintiff sole executor. She died on July 6 last without having altered or revoked such will, but in August last defendant Mary M'Millan lodged a caveat against probate of the will being granted. Plaintiff now asked that probate should be granted to him, as executor, and that defendant might be ordered to pay the costs of the suit.

In her statement of defence, defendant alleged that the will was not duly executed by testatrix, and that at the time the document bore date she was not of sound mind, memory, and understanding, and did not know or approve of its contents, and that the execution of the alleged will was obtained by the undue influence of the plaintiff.

Evidence was then entered upon, and the suit is part heard.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

(Before the Registrar, Mr. Salusbury.)

MEETINGS AND EXAMINATIONS.

Re Frank Rowe. Bankrupt failed to attend, and on the application of the official assignee the matter was adjourned.

Re Norman M'Leod. Bankrupt was examined by the official assignee, on whose application the matter was allowed to stand over pending an application to the Judge in Bankruptcy.

Re Frank Eric Lane and Edward Keightley Lane. The first-named was examined by the official assignee, and on his application the meeting was closed, and the public examination declared closed. Edward Keightley Lane failed to attend, and his examination was adjourned sine die.

VOLUNTARY SEQUESTRATION.

Christian Hogan, and Herman Harold Hogan, rubber merchants, trading at the Federal Rubber Works, 127 Westbourne-street, Petersham, 65 King-street, Sydney, and Central-street, Sydney. Mr. C. F. W. Lloyd, official assignee.

DISTRICT COURT.

(Before Judge Docker.)

CLAIM FOR COMMISSION.

Murdock McMurdo claimed commission against Amelia Ellen Fitzgerald, in respect to the sale of a house.

Mr. Daly appeared for plaintiff; and Mr. Bignold, instructed by Messrs. Russell Jones and Barker, represented defendant.

The defence submitted that before a purchaser was found for the property by plaintiff it had already been sold through another agency, and in support of this, Mr. Bignold said that unless specific terms had been made between the parties, the placing of a house into the hands of an agent did not preclude the owner from selling it himself, or through another agent.

His Honor held that there was no authority shown by plaintiff to enter into a contract on behalf of defendant, and gave judgment for defendant.

"CO-OPERATOR'S" CLAIM.

The "Co-operator" Newspaper Company sought to recover the sum of £232 from Kemp's Ltd., respecting advertisements said to have been published in the newspaper of the plaintiff company.

Mr. A. H. Jones appears for plaintiff company; and Mr. C. Moseley for defendants.

The case stands part heard.

CENTRAL CRIMINAL COURT.

(Before Mr. Acting-Justice Edmunds and a jury.)

Crown Prosecutor, Mr. H. Harris.

When Mr. Acting-Justice Edmunds, who was appointed to act as a Supreme Court Judge by the Executive Council on Monday, took his seat on the Bench of the Central Criminal Court yesterday, his Honor read his commission to sit, and was congratulated by Mr. H. Harris, Crown Prosecutor, and by Mr. Coyle.

A CHARGE OF MANSLAUGHTER.

May Hort, was arraigned on an indictment charging her with the manslaughter of John Harold Foley, at 38 Taylor-street, Darlinghurst, on October 25 last.

Mr. A. J. Spear defended the accused.

The Crown case was that Foley was found dead on the date mentioned, shot through the heart, in an upstairs room at the accused's house, in which she carried on business as a laundress. There was no one else present at the time.

Accused gave evidence on her own behalf. She said she knew Foley well, and had never quarrelled with him. He had called for some laundry, which was not ready. Foley asked her to show him the revolver, which he knew was in the room. She took the weapon from a box in which it was kept. He wanted to take the revolver from her, but she said, "No, you don't," and, pointing it at him, pulled the trigger. She thought it was not loaded, and as a matter of fact, it did not go off. She then pulled the trigger again, and was horrified when it went off, and she saw Foley put his hand to his breast. He fell dead at her feet. She then summoned another woman at work downstairs, and sent for the police.

Evidence was given that the revolver belonged to a man who was living in the house, who said that he loaded three of the chambers some months ago, because of the burglar scare. He said no one else in the house knew he had loaded the revolver.

The jury returned a verdict of not guilty, and the accused was discharged.

QUARTER SESSIONS.

(Before Judge Rogers.)

Crown Prosecutor, Mr. J. N. Mason.

A MAN UNDER THE BED.

"I will sentence all people convicted of breaking into houses very severely," said his Honor. "Had you stolen anything, I would have sentenced you to some years."

The case was on in which William Tana, a coloured man, was convicted of entering a dwelling-house at night, with intent to steal.

Miss Marie Millicent Field, a telephone attendant, living with her mother at 27 John-street, Ashfield, said that at 11 o'clock on the night of November 8, she went into her bedroom. Immediately afterwards her mother came into the room, and, stooping down to pull a hat-box from under the bed, discovered a coloured man curled up under the bed.

Mrs. Field, mother of the previous witness, said the accused assumed a threatening attitude.

The evidence of the police was that, when they went to the Melanesian Mission, next door, they found the accused in bed with his trousers on.

Accused declined to say anything except that he was drunk, and that he did not remember what he had done.

Mrs. Field, recalled, said he was positive that Tana was sober.

The jury found accused guilty. There was a long list of previous convictions against him, including one sentence of five years for bigamy.

His Honor sentenced the prisoner to 18 months' hard labour in Bathurst Gaol.

A BOGUS HORSEOWNER.

Ernest Foster pleaded guilty to a charge of obtaining money by false pretence.

It was set out that the prisoner represented to Julius Sydney Bloom, of 110 Bathurst-street, Sydney, that he was the owner of two racehorses, giving the names of the horses as Home Rule and Miss Olive. By that pretence he obtained from Mr. Bloom the sum of £52.

The prisoner said he had paid £8 of the money back, and intended to repay the balance. Mr. Bloom, however, denied that any of the money had been refunded.

The prisoner, who is already serving a term of two months' imprisonment on a conviction for fraudulent appropriation, was sentenced to nine months' hard labour in Goulburn Gaol.

LAW NOTICES.

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 4.

HIGH COURT OF AUSTRALIA.

At Darlinghurst Courthouse.—At 10.30 a.m.: Miles v Sydney Meat Preserving Company, Ltd., and others (part heard); J. C. Williamson, Ltd., v The Musicians' Union of Australia.

SUPREME COURT.

Cause Lists.—Banco Court, St. James'-road: Pastoral Finance Association, Ltd., v the Minister (part heard).

No. 1 Jury Court, King-street.—Canada Cycle and Motor Agency, Ltd., v Chapman and another; Cornish v Kanematsu (commercial cause, without a jury).

No. 2 Causes, No. 3 Court, King-street.—Shannon v Chief Commissioner for Railways and Tramways (part heard). Notice.—The jurors engaged in the above part-heard case are required to attend at 10 a.m. The jurors summoned to attend No. 2 Causes on Monday, the 2nd inst., will not be required to attend at all.

Prothonotary's Office.—Before the Deputy Prothonotary: Satchwell v Satchwell, 10.15 a.m., to settle issues; Scully and another v Motor Union Insurance Co., Ltd., 10.30 a.m.; Short v City Bank, 11 a.m.; Cavanagh v Cavanagh, 2.30 p.m.; Trimble v Trimble, 3.15 p.m.

Chamber List.—At 9.30 a.m.: Ex parte Le Grand and another, re Teague, for order for sequestration; Sawtell v McDonald, special case; King v Easton, change of venue and postponement of trial; Scully and another v Motor Union Insurance Co., Ltd., to set aside judgment; Donnelly v Field, special case.

Before the Prothonotary.—At 9.30 a.m.: King v The Ashton Timber Co., Ltd., Stinson claimant (part heard).

In Divorce.—Before the Judge in Divorce, in No. 4 Jury Court.—At 10 a.m.—Motion: Scarlett v Scarlett, attachment. For judgment—At 10.15 p.m.: Mew Joy v Mew Joy, Sibley v Sibley, Solomon v Solomon; Defries v Defries. Cause List: Barnett v Barnett, Dawson v Dawson; Hawkins v Hawkins; Brett v Brett, Nangle co-respondent; Alt v Alt. Not before 2 p.m.: Looney v Looney, Bryant co-respondent.

In Equity.—Before the Chief Judge in Equity—At 10 a.m.: Fitzgerald v Fitzgerald, hearing; Parker v Perpetual Trustee Company, originating summons. Before Mr. Justice Rich, Consultation Room, Supreme Court—At 10.30 a.m.: Broken Hill Junction North S.M. Co. v Broken Hill Junction L.M. Co. (part hear).

Before the Master in Equity.—At 11 a.m.: General Motor Co. and Companies Act, summons to examine witnesses. Before the Deputy Registrar—At 11 a.m.: Mackay v Mackay, to settle minutes of order. At 11.30 a.m.: Hassall v Booth, to settle minutes of order. At 2.15 p.m.: Hall v Hall, to tax costs. At 3 p.m.: Vale of Clwydd Coal M. Co., to settle minutes of order.

Probate Jurisdiction.—Before his Honor the Probate Judge in No. 2 Jury Court.—At 10 a.m.: M'Millan v M'Millan (part heard). The following accounts will be taken at the Probate Office:—10.30: J. G. Thompson. 11: Annie Wright. 11.15: Timothy O'Sullivan. 11.45: John Denehy. 12: Roger Ryan. 12.15: Jane Davis. 12.30: Isabel M. Wood. Before the Registrar.—At 11 a.m.: James Armstrong, to tax costs.

In Bankruptcy.—Before the Registrar.—At 10 a.m.: Application for extension of time for filing accounts and plans. Motion for release: Thomas Kyle. Certificate applications: George Frederick Rowland (in solvency), George Stanley Burton, Bonus Clarke. Motion to vary order of 7.3.1910, refusing certificate: Marks Rappeport. Single meetings and public examinations.—Single meeting: Charles Ricketts, John Charles Mercer, Maud M'Mullen, Fred. Reiman. Public examination: John Dacre Wilkinson.

In Lunacy.—Before the Chief Clerk.—At 3 p.m.: Re an insane patient, to moderate costs.

COURT OF MARINE INQUIRY.

No. 1 District Court.—At 9.30 a.m.—Before his Honor Judge Backhouse, with assessors.—Re the Zingara and Cycle.

DISTRICT COURT.

No. 2 District Court, Sydney.—Before his Honor Judge Docker.—At 10 a.m.: [illegible] and another v Dawson, Jeffrey v Taylor, Wiles v Newlyn, Cooney v Carr, Herman v Bushell, Martin v Bowen, Taylor, Ltd. Before the Registrar.—At 10.30 a.m.: The British Pianoforte Depot v Philpott. At 10.35 a.m.: Hadelson v Howes.

CHIEF INDUSTRIAL MAGISTRATES' COURT.

Next Water Police Court, Phillip-street.—Before the Chief Industrial Magistrate.—At 10 a.m.—For hearing: Wallace v Weiland (4), same v Hayes, same v Elvy, Lynch v Crampton (2), same v Constable, same v Murphy (3), same v M'Ivor (2).

CENTRAL CRIMINAL COURT.

Edwin Emerton James, serious offence; Hugh Duncan, murder.

QUARTER SESSIONS.

Cecil Derwent Wardle, serious offence; William Hayes and Alfred Pearce, home-breaking (two charges); John Hughes, attempted offence.

SURRY HILLS TRAGEDY.

DEATH OF A WIDOW.

PLEA OF INSANITY UPHELD.

At the Central Criminal Court yesterday, before Mr. Acting Justice Edmunds and a jury, Thomas Evans, about 45 years of age, was arraigned on an indictment charging him with feloniously and maliciously murdering Margaret Biddle, a widow, 41, at Surry Hills, on June 22, 1912.

Mr. Herbert Harris appeared for the Crown; and Mr. Coyle, instructed by Mr. J. A. B. Cahill, for the prisoner, on whose behalf a plea of insanity was set up.

In opening the case the Crown Prosecutor said Mrs. Margaret Biddle was a widow, keeping a lodging-house at 366 Riley-street, Surry Hills. She was a most respectable, hard-working woman. She was occasionally employed as a casual waitress at the luncheon booths of the various racecourses. The accused had boarded at her house before her husband died, about 12 months before the date of the crime. He appeared to develop a very strong attachment for the deceased, and many times asked her to marry him, but his matrimonial overtures were not treated seriously. On the night before the crime the prisoner visited her at her house, and annoyed her so much that she sent for the police to get rid of him. On the next morning she declined to attend the court to prosecute him, and he was merely fined 5s for being drunk. As soon as he left the court on June 15 he purchased a revolver and 50 cartridges. The same day he went to Canterbury Park races, where he knew the deceased would be. After the races he waited for her at the corner of Foveaux and Waterloo streets, Surry Hills, and as the deceased was walking home he went up to her in a very threatening attitude, and threatened to shoot her if she did not allow him to come and live with her. He then, because she walked away, fired three shots at her. One of the bullets passed through her arm and into the chest, which proved fatal a week later. Evans then shot himself, but only inflicted a slight wound on the neck. The Crown submitted that the circumstances of the crime were incompatible with the plea of insanity which had been set up.

Accused was put into the box. He said his mind was a complete blank from a couple of days before the crime until the following Thursday.

Evidence having been given as to accused's mental condition, the jury returned a verdict of not guilty, on the ground of insanity.

His Honor committed the accused to the custody of the police, pending the decision of his Excellency the Governor.

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BANKRUPTCY MATTER.

INTERCEPTING CORRESPONDENCE.

An application in somewhat unusual circumstances was made to Mr. Justice Street, sitting in Bankruptcy yesterday. It was one by Mr. C. F. W. Lloyd, official assignee of the bankrupt estate of Norman M'Leod, to make absolute an order nisi by which the bankrupt had been called upon to show cause why he should not be adjudged guilty of contempt, and punished accordingly, for interference with an order of the Registrar in Bankruptcy. The respondent appeared in person.

His Honor, after hearing respondent's explanation, said that Norman M'Leod and Frank Rowe at one time carried on business in partnership, but their respective estates were subsequently sequestrated on petition. The order of sequestration was made on different dates, but the two sequestrations were afterwards consolidated and carried on as one proceeding. Among the duties imposed upon a bankrupt, as provided by sub-section 3 of section 14 of the Bankruptcy Act, he must as far as lay in his power assist the official assignee in the collection, realisation, and distribution of his estate, and by sub-section 4 of section 27 a similar duty was imposed upon him. After Rowe's estate was sequestrated that bankrupt left for New Zealand without permission of the Court, and in so doing he was guilty of contempt of court. On September 28 last an order was made under section 29 of the Bankruptcy Act on the Postmaster-General directing that for three months from the date of the order all letters addressed to M'Leod should be re-directed and delivered by him to Mr. Lloyd as official assignee of the estate. This was done solely for the purpose of facilitating the work of the official assignee in the collection and distribution of the estate. Except as to that, the official assignee would have no concern with bankrupt's correspondence, and he had no doubt that bankrupt had a very good knowledge of the circumstances under which his letters were being intercepted. He also admitted that after the order was made he still corresponded with Rowe, but that the letters to him were enclosed by Rowe in his letters to his brother. The only explanation given by the bankrupt was that sometimes there were matters of a private nature which did not pertain to the estate in any shape or form. It was not for the bankrupt to determine that point. It was his duty under the sections referred to to assist the official assignee by all means in his power, and by entering into an arrangement, as he had no doubt bankrupt did, in regard to the letters from Rowe, so far from assisting the official assignee, he placed an obstacle in his way in the realisation and distribution of the assets in the estate. Bankrupt had stated that if he erred he had done so from ignorance, but his Honor was not prepared to accept that statement, because he had very little doubt that his action had not been due to ignorance, but to a design to prevent the official assignee from obtaining information which he might otherwise obtain in regard to the estate. For these reasons, the respondent must be committed to the custody of the sheriff, and remain in his custody until he had purged his contempt.

Respondent was then removed by a sheriff's officer.

QUEENSLAND LABOUR PARTY.

BRISBANE, Tuesday.

What may be regarded as the last meeting of the Parliamentary Labour party before the beginning of next session was held yesterday, when a motion of sympathy with Mr. Ryan, leader of the party, on the death of his father, was carried. Mr. David Bowman, the ex-leader, who was present, expressed his thanks for the party's cordial good wishes and its expressions of pleasure at seeing him in such improved health.

INVALID PENSIONS.

WELLINGTON (N.Z.), Tuesday.

Speaking at Christchurch Mr. Fisher (Minister for Marine) promised that the Government would next session introduce legislation to provide pensions for invalids.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

Q.: I have been feeling very poorly lately, and have just been told that I am suffering from uric poisoning. I shall be glad if you will tell me just what uric poisoning means. Is it a serious matter?

A.: Uric poisoning is caused by the retention in the blood of substances which should leave the body in solution. The retention of these substances is due to a diseased or inactive condition of the kidneys. When the kidneys are working perfectly, they filter and extract from the blood of the average individual about three pints of secretion every day. In this quantity should be dissolved various waste material produced by the wear and tear of the tissues of the body. This is dead matter, and its presence in the blood is poisonous. The three pints of normal secretion should contain about ten grains in weight of uric acid, an ounce of urea, together with other animal and mineral matter, varying from a third of an ounce to nearly an ounce.

Q.: Then I am to understand that the substances you mention when not eliminated from the body in the natural manner constitute what is known as uric poisoning. What are the usual symptoms by which the presence of these poisons is manifested?

A.: Now you are asking a rather large question. Many complaints which are commonly called diseases are not actually diseases in themselves. For instance, Rheumatism, Gout, Neuralgia, Lumbago, Sciatica, Gravel, Stone, and Bladder Troubles are frequently caused by uric poisons. Indigestion, Anaemia, Persistent Headache, and General Debility are often solely due to the same cause. In fact, speaking generally, if the kidneys were doing their work freely and thoroughly, none of the complaints mentioned would trouble us, as the causative poisons would be absent.

Q.: I had no idea that so much depended upon the efficient action of the kidneys. I suppose that when anyone is suffering from Rheumatism, Gout, Neuralgia, Lumbago, Sciatica, Gravel, Stone, Bladder Troubles, Anaemia, Debility, Persistent Headache, or Indigestion, the scientific method of effecting a cure, in most cases, would be to directly treat the patient for the kidney?

A.: Exactly. In fact, that is the only way in which a radical and permanent cure would be effected. The kidneys must be restored to health and activity, so that they may be enabled to remove the daily production of poisons in the body, or the patient must continue to suffer.

Q.: I have always been under the impression that the liver had a great deal to do with the maintenance of our general health, but it seems that the kidneys are the chief cause of most of the disorders from which we suffer.

A.: The work done by the liver is of the utmost importance, and it is closely associated with the work done by the kidneys. Indeed, when anything is the matter with the liver the kidneys are generally affected, and the contrary is likewise true. In the liver various substances are actually made from the blood. Two or three pounds of bile are thus made every day. The liver takes sugar from the blood, converts it into another form, and stores it up so as to be able again to supply it to the blood, gradually, as the latter requires enrichment. The liver changes uric acid, which is insoluble, into urea, which is completely soluble; and the liver also deals with the blood corpuscles which have lived their life, and are useful no longer.

Q.: As the functions of the kidneys and liver are so intimately related, I gather that if there is reason to suspect that either organ is not doing its work efficiently, a curative agent should be employed which would act equally upon the kidneys and liver?

A.: Yes, that is the case; and it was the realisation of this important fact which led to the discovery of that invaluable medicine, Warner's Safe Cure. About thirty years ago certain investigators, knowing that if they could find a medicine which would beneficially affect alike the kidneys and the liver, they could control most of the common disorders, devoted themselves to the search of such a remedy. After many disappointments, their efforts were rewarded, and a medicine now known as Warner's Safe Cure was proved to possess the required properties. Warner's Safe Cure has a marvellously stimulating and healing effect upon both the kidneys and liver, and by restoring those vital organs to health and activity it necessarily cures all disorders due to the retention in the blood of urinary and biliary poisons, such as Rheumatism, Gout, Neuralgia, Lumbago, Sciatica, Blood Disorders, Anaemia, Indigestion, Biliousness, Jaundice, Gravel, Stone, Bladder Troubles, General Debility, and Sick Headache. Even complaints diagnosed as Bright's Disease, probably the most fatal of all diseases, often yield to treatment by Warner's Safe Cure. Cures effected by Warner's Safe Cure are permanent, simply because they are natural.

As you are so much interested in this subject, you should write to the Australasian office of H. H. Warner and Co., Ltd., Melbourne, who will be pleased to send you, free of charge, a pamphlet treating it fully.

Warner's Safe Cure is sold by chemists and storekeepers everywhere, both in the original form (5s bottles) and the cheaper "Concentrated," non-alcoholic form (2s 6d bottles).—Advt.

ON THE LAND.

FARM AND STATION.

THE WHEAT CROP.

IN THE PARKES DISTRICT.

III.

In our last report we pointed out that the probable average for the Parkes district would be 12 or 14 bushels. We think it will be nearer the lower figure. We also emphasised the necessity for better farming conditions. The district has a long way to go in this direction, but it is good to note that there appears to be an improvement this season.

Slightly more attention has been given to fallowing, while many more farmers are using fertilisers. Many parts of the district are sadly behind, however, as far as fallowing is concerned. The grower appears to take the idea of using manure quicker than to the principle of fallowing. Yet the latter is the more important, and in the Parkes district we feel certain would be the most profitable in the long run.

The combination is generally what is wanted, and by experiment the grower can soon ascertain the value of fertilising, and what is the medium his land wants. But fertilising alone will never clean up his cultivation paddocks and restore the natural fertility of the soil, or secure its full yielding capacity. Utilisation of natural forces will only do that; sun-sweetening, moisture-retention, and aeration. Fallowing supplies them all.

While the average will be in the vicinity of the figures given, many of the crops are running over 20 bags. The sample so far is a splendid one. It is said to be the best produced in the district for many years. Harvesting is now fairly general, but the season is later than last. The area under crop is less than last year, as must be expected considering the dry conditions prevailing at ploughing time.

As already stated, a lot of the crop is being cut for hay. The extent is probably unprecedented. Buyers are operating in the district for the first time, and in one way nothing could be better. A great percentage of the cultivation country is very dirty with black oats, and cutting the crops is the best thing that could have happened. In some cases cutting was indeed absolutely necessary. It is to be hoped that growers will turn up the paddocks as soon as possible after harvest to encourage early germination of oat seed and a continuance of the cleansing process.

While a dry spring caused alarm for a time, timely falls of rain came late in October, and conditions since have been most favourable. If good harvest weather continues the yield will be some recompense for past years, and go far to restore the reputation of the locality for wheat-growing. It is not so many years ago since the Parkes district was practically on the edge of the wheat belt. The country further west, around Bogan Gate and Trundle, while esteemed as grazing land, was not considered a sound proposition for growing wheat.

That day has passed. Both these districts and the country somewhat beyond them have proved that with proper handling they can produce grain profitably. Indeed, the trouble has been the same as in many of the newer districts, the fertility of the soil has induced growers to be careless and neglect what must be considered essentials, when working in such a rainfall and environment. Far too many growers are following the old methods so common in older districts, yet, which are even there being wisely discarded.

Wheatgrowing to be profitable over a number of average years means in the Bogan Gate and Trundle districts that fallowing is absolutely essential. A good year may be struck at times, when the difference between crops on fallowed and unfallowed land may not show such a difference as to warrant the extra trouble and expense. Indeed, the present season would appear to be an example of this, as there is not the appreciable difference in sight that would be expected. It remains, however, for the final returns to really prove this. It will probably be found that the fallowed crops have scored, nevertheless, when the final reckoning is made. We will be surprised if such is not the case.

As regards the benefit of manuring, there seems to be some doubt. Opinions amongst growers are divided. On the one side, men say that manuring pays well; that 2s 6d worth of fertiliser means an extra return, equal to 20s. Against that there is a strong,—it would appear a majority—opinion to the effect that manuring does not pay. It is a question, of course, which can only be settled by local experiment, and very close experiment. The soils in the locality vary from light sandy soil to heavier clay. This suggests that manuring may have a different effect on the different soils. At present, however, the main thing is to thoroughly till the soil. It is naturally fertile, and the chief thing is to keep it clean and retain moisture.

ITEMS.

There is every indication that the vintage at Corowa will be the best for some years.

A strong movement has been started at Corowa for an irrigation scheme. Settlers on both sides of the river are forming branches of a league to promote this object.

The result of the first year's operations of the co-operative cool stores erected at Doncaster (Vic.) shows that the cost works out at a penny per case to the shareholders, as compared with a penny-half-penny charged by the Government cold stores at the same centre.

Tobacco growing has recently attracted considerable attention in Victoria, and the acreage is expanding rapidly. A buyer from the United Kingdom has bought all the crop at Wangaratta at 5½d per lb for first quality and 4½d for seconds. Some growers had as much as 70 bales to sell.

The wastage in carrying water long distances for irrigation purposes is well illustrated by data available in regard to the scheme at Waranga, Victoria. Out of 75,000 acre feet carried over a distance of 40 miles only 50,000 travels to the end of the journey, the balance being absorbed en route.

Fast shearers in Western Queensland are called "Dreadnoughts." A "Dreadnought" in wool-classing has just been unearthed. It is said that during the recent shearing season he passed 600,000 fleeces through his hands, so that he must have had a number of the big sheds in his circuit.

In addition to troubles with the Customs Department, sugar-growers in North Queensland have to contend against the cane beetle. In one district a levy of 6d per acre has just been made by the farmers to fight this pest. The Government subsidises this fund.

A fine average was made recently by a mob of bullocks from St. Ann's and Yacamunda stations, put through the Bowen (North Queensland) meatworks. The beasts averaged 772½lb per head, and were declared to be the best lot put through the works this year. They ran to about £6 8s per head.

Herd testing has had another spurt in Queensland since the season took a turn for the better. Most dairy farmers were under the erroneous impression that in a poor season it was unwise to test their cows. Now that the milk supply is good applications for the assistance of the tester are pouring in.

The Victorian viticulturist, who has just been making an inspection in Queensland at the request of the Government of the northern State, is of opinion that Queensland, in its southern districts, has possibilities in grape cultivation. He was surprised at the quality of some of the wines. The best he had seen were white wines, such as hock, sauternes, and sherry; but there was no reason why red wines of high quality should not be produced.

Phylloxera has been known in the vineyards near Brisbane (Q.) for several seasons. Mr. F. de Castella, the Victorian expert, discovered it in several properties on a recent inspection. He has recommended the continued isolation of the district, the ascertaining of the exact area infected, to prevent the planting of vines of other than resistent stocks, and the propagation and sale of such stocks.

Large areas of land along the Tweed River which were formerly useless swamps have been drained and made arable. Condong, Cudgen, and Robb's swamps have already been treated, and the land forms excellent pastures. A large portion of these swamps is composed of peaty soil, which is admirably adapted for growing maize.

The lantana grows wildly on many parts of the Upper Northern Rivers, but closer settlement is keeping it within bounds. The better the soil the better this pest seems to thrive.

The Clarence River alluvial flats have more than their share of noxious weeds. In some parts the star thistle has ousted the carrot weed. It is a great nuisance, as it taints the milk. A recent introduction, called the khaki weed, is gaining ground. It spreads very rapidly. Stock will not eat it.

It is expected by experts in New Zealand that this year dairy produce will rank second on the list of exports from the Dominion. Up till now wool and meat have led. The estimated output of butter and cheese this season is £3,000,000.

HOW TO MAKE POULTRY PAY.

INTENSE CULTURE ADVOCATED.

A few months back the Minister for Agriculture stated that the Hawkesbury College hens returned a profit of 12s 4d a head over their food bill. This alluring remark attracted a lot of attention from persons who were on the lookout for a profitable and easy investment of limited capital. But Mr. Trefle forgot to mention debit items of the ledger, such as the original cost of the hens, the construction of yards, and the expenses of supervision.

Last Friday, at St. James's Hall, Mr. F. E. A. Gordon, of New Zealand, lectured on profitable poultry-farming before a large audience. He began by saying that no branch of agriculture demanded so much knowledge as poultry farming, and yet inexperienced persons were constantly rushing into the business. They gained a lot of experience, but lost their cash.

Mr. Gordon propounded a lot of new ideas. His arguments were rammed home with the force of one who has the courage to leave the beaten track for the path of originality. One of his propositions is that several acres of land are not required for a big poultry farm. In the Dominion he runs 6000 fowls on one acre. He does this by what is known as the "shedding" system. By this is meant that about 40 birds are reared in a small house constructed on a principle which Mr. Gordon has patented and copyrighted. This economy of space means saving of capital. "I can," said the lecturer, "keep my 6000 fowls on an acre of ground, which cost £140, whereas to keep the same number of birds under the old system of runs requires five acres, which cost £700."

Ninety per cent. of poultrymen make their fowls' breakfast of a hot mash of bran, pollard, and possibly a few other ingredients. Boiling the water, mixing the mash and feeding, say, 1000 birds daily takes considerable time, and, said Mr. Gordon, "time is money in poultry as in other businesses." His plan is to feed fowls on a dry mash, the compound parts of which are also bran and pollard, with a little linseed, salt, and sulphur added. This mixture is placed in a hopper, or trough, in quantities sufficient to last a week or a month, as may be desired. The birds, whenever they feel "peckish," simply walk to the hopper and help themselves. The dry mash system has had a semi-official trial, which was not deemed satisfactory. This was said to be the fault of the experimentalists, and not of the system. "I am not a theorist," said Mr. Gordon. "What I say I do."

"Don't faint," continued the lecturer, "when I tell you that under my system I can distribute feed for 4000 fowls in 13 seconds." The inner workings of this time and money saving method were not stated. The explanation necessary would be imparted to farmers who adopted his suggestions as to intense culture.

Mr. Gordon pointed out that it was a mistake to give the same rations to light breeds like the Leghorns as to the bigger breeds, such as Orpingtons and Plymouth Rocks. Referring to the great demand for sharp-pointed grit, this material, he said, was essential for digestion, but there was no necessity to insist on the sharp points. Ordinary crushed stone was all that was requisite.

On the subject of the best breed, the lecturer said there was no best breed for egg production, notwithstanding the run on White Leghorns. "The strain was everything, the breed nothing." The poultry farmer was recommended, when he had got a good laying strain, not to go for new blood to outside sources, but to distantly related stock from the original breeder.

Infertile eggs could be avoided by changing the male bird about once a week.

POWDERED MILK.

Victoria has the only powdered milk factory in Australia, situated at Glenormiston. The operations of this factory have created a special value for skim milk, in some cases suppliers receiving as much as £30 a month for this item alone. The process employed is known as the Merrell-Soule-Gear process, and it is one that has apparently succeeded in solving problems which other attempts at powdering milk have failed to master. The milk is delivered twice daily, and is at once separated. The cream goes to one factory for butter-making, and the skim milk is used for the purpose of powdering. The latter pays for the skim milk on the basis that it weighs 88 per cent. of the whole milk as it was at first received. In case the whole milk is to be powdered, the supplier is allowed an extra 3½d per lb of butter fat. In other words, assuming that the ordinary value of butter fat to be 12d per lb, this factory pays 15½d per lb on the whole milk which it uses. Roughly speaking, this means an extra 1½d per gallon for the skim milk. The value of this system to the supplier will be understood when it is recollected that only a few years ago his whole milk to some factories was not returning more than 3d per gallon.

In the processes which were first designed for the purpose of powdering the milk the difficulty was to treat the albumen so that it would become soluble in water. In the process under review the concentrated milk is pumped into a hermetically-sealed drying-room, through a small pipe under the enormous pressure of 2500lb to the square inch. The end of this pipe, which revolves, terminates at a needle-point. Through this fine point every particle of concentrated milk is discharged in the form of a fine spray, and falls to the floor in the form of powder. The plant cost £55,000, and a large supply of milk is necessary to make the business pay. It is also essential that the milk should be of a high class.

THE PRICE OF MILK.

CAMDEN.—The local dairymen at a meeting of their association presided over by Mr. A. V. Moore have decided that the minimum price to be received for milk supplied to the Metropolitan Distributing Company during the coming year shall be eightpence per gallon. The Fresh Food and Ice Company has entered into agreements with the dairymen of all centres. In all but Camden the clause relating to price says, the price shall be the current market rates.

QUEENSLAND DAIRYING.

BRISBANE.—During yesterday the thermometer reached 105 degrees in the central west. The season being experienced by dairy farmers is reflected in the weekly return of the butter handled by grated attached to the Department of Agriculture and stock. Last week 11,356 packages were handled, as compared with 3946 in the same period of 1911.

THE CROPS.

GRENFELL.—The harvest is turning out quite as well as was expected. The early varieties of wheat, such as Bunyip, are now being stripped, and are yielding 25 bushels per acre; while The Sample scales 64 lb. It has been an ideal year for early wheats. Some farmers are starting on Federation. Wheat is now being carted to the railway, and soon the busy season will be in full swing. The improvements at the Grenfell railway station granted by the Railway Commissioners are much appreciated here by the farmers and will stop much delay in unloading.

MEETINGS OF FARMERS.

FORBES.—At the annual general meeting of the Forbes P. A. and H. Association the annual report and statement showed that a profit of £166 10s had been made over the late show; the bank debt during the 12 months has been reduced from £202 13s 9d to £101 6s 5d. Thirty-two nominations were received for the 24 vacancies on the committee. A ballot will be held on December 18.

PASTURES BOARDS.

HAY.—At the Hay Pastures Protection Board meeting a motion of sympathy with the late secretary's widow was carried. Seven applications were received for the vacant position of secretary, and Mr. J. J. Harris, formerly manager of Booligal Station, received the appointment. The reports of the stock inspector showed that the sheep in the district were in excellent condition. The recent heavy rains had benefited the saltbush and red soil country, but had damaged the dry grass in other parts. The stock routes were in good order, and the rabbits were being well kept down on those under lease. The reports of the rabbit inspectors showed that rabbit destruction was being well maintained, except in one or two instances, in which case the board ordered immediate re-inspections. The Minister wrote informing the board that he had promised a deputation of tanners and others that in the Amending Brands Act he would eliminate the ribs and rump as places upon which brands may be put, and asked for the opinion of the directors as to the parts of the hides to be substituted. The board decided to oppose any alterations to the law unless some more forcible arguments in favour of that course were brought forward than had been submitted, or a change was asked for by the boards of cattle districts. A number of boards wrote, asking the Hay Board to pay a bonus for crows and crows' eggs, but the board declined to do so.

DISTRICT ITEMS.

FOREST REEFS.—Most of the small sheep farmers have cut out about half their usual clip, some not reaching that, the wool in most instances being light. North Errowanbang cut out last week, excluding 7000 lambs, showing about 100 bales short; South Errowanbang cutting in at the same shed, their own having recently been burnt. About 1600 grazed here of Mr. Hills shows the best result, their fleece averaging being about 10lb.

FORBES.—A stack of about 12 tons of lucerne hay, belonging to Mr. W. K. Garnsey, was destroyed by fire on Saturday night, at South Forbes. The outbreak occurred as the result of spontaneous combustion.

PARKES.—Light showers fell on Sunday night. They will not injuriously affect the wheat crops. Many good returns of oats and barley are being harvested this season.

CAMDEN STOCK SALES.

CAMDEN.—Stock sold well at Tuesday's sales by W. Larking, auctioneer. Fat cows brought £4/5/ to £6/13; milch cows, extra £9/10/, good to £8/7/6, stores to £3, heifers to £2; winter cows from £3/3/ to £5/10; pigs, suckers 5/ to 9/3, porkers 17/6 to £1/17/6; store pigs to 18/6, the yard consisting of 130.

SUBDIVISION SALE.

BATHURST.—Leeholme, the estate of the late Mr. George Lee, M.L.C., was offered in blocks at auction yesterday, with the following results:—Block 9, 100 acs. 2 roods 10 perches, £10 per acre, Norman Suttor; block 13, 111 acres 2 roods 30 perches, £6 per acre, S. M'Kibbon; block 14, 73 acres 3 roods 20 perches, £5 per acre, S. M'Kibbon; block 15, 61 acres 1 rood, £14 per acre, S. M'Kibbon; block 16, 65 acres 3 roods 10 perches, £14 per acre, T. Ready.

THE TUREE ESTATE.

The Turee Estate is to be offered for auction by Trebeck, Son, and Co., and E. J. Scully, at the Exchange to-day at 12 o'clock. The property has been in the hands of the Jones family for nearly 100 years.

STOCK CROSSINGS.

GOONDIWINDI.—D. Kimmorley is nearing Tallowood with 9000 wethers, travelling to Glen Innes, Hutchison and O'Hara owners. 250 fat cattle crossed the border to New South Wales on Monday, travelling from Bengalla to Sydney, T. A. Field owner, P. M'Cosker in charge. 1100 fat wethers, left Coppymurrumbilla for Sydney. T. Devon in charge.

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POULTRY.

Questions relating to fancy or commercial poultry-keeping, diseases, etc., should be addressed to Ancona, "Herald" Office.

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.

Worried: The chickens, through overcrowding or being kept in close quarters, have got colds, and this has developed into roup, or they may have got roup from the older fowls. The treatment of so many will be a wearisome business. The first thing is to isolate the sick ones. Give them plenty of room and open air, with clean, spacious sleeping quarters. Put a small packet of epsom salts in the drinking water, and continue the treatment you have been giving. Write to the Department of Agriculture for "Diseases of Fowls," which gives detailed information and remedial measures.

W.S.S.: Apparently you have far too many chickens in the brooder. Fifty is an outside number.

New Arrival: Duck-breeding is carried on largely in this State, as a visit to the poultry sales on Thursdays will convince you. They are gross feeders, but do well on rougher stuff than is usually given to fowls. They pay the owners well. At the same time, before you attempt the business, you should visit some of the going concerns.

Stanmore: Wyandottes, silver or white, should answer your purpose excellently. Chinese Langshans make good table poultry. You can hatch continuously if you desire. Many breeders do.

The poultry exports last week consisted of 37 cases of frozen turkeys, by the Mataram, for Singapore. Shipments of this nature are responsible for the high rates at present ruling, the average price being about 1s per lb live weight. Victoria is also experiencing high rates for this class of poultry.

Eggs this week brought about 2d per dozen more than at the same period of last year. Large quantities are arriving, but, with hens going broody, others commencing to moult, and Norths failing in quality through high temperature, a further advance may be immediately expected. Those having marketable poultry, particularly turkeys, should forward at once, as prices of late years have receded a little just prior to Christmas.

A deputation of New Zealand poultrymen lately waited on the Prime Minister of that country. The complaints made were that they had no literature on poultry-keeping, and that they had only one expert; while in the fruit and honey industries, there were dozens of instructors. Mr. Rogers said the Government was working in opposition to other countries, for nowhere else, except in New Zealand, were Government poultry farms to be found, except for experimental purposes, whereas, in the Dominion, the Government competed with poultry-keepers, and supplied stock at much lower prices than poultry-keepers could. He advocated the selling or leasing of the farms. Mr. Massey said he would carefully consider the various requests, and do all in his power for the industry.

Mr. F. A. Gordon, who gave a free lecture on poultry, in St. James's-hall, on Friday evening last, had a good audience. Mr. Gordon's reputation as a poultry expert, with a system, which had preceded him from New Zealand, was responsible for a number of people coming considerable distances, expecting to hear something revolutionary in regard to keeping fowls. Rather than something new, Mr. Gordon's address was quite orthodox, his departure from the ordinary teaching being that he gives pollard and bran dry, rather than in a moist state.

While quite a number of people have preferred to purchase newly-hatched chickens, rather than trouble with broody hens or incubators, the deals have been in many cases unsatisfactory. Two correspondents this week, write that, while all the chickens arrived alive, and apparently in good health, 20 and 30 per cent. of deaths occurred within the first fortnight. This is not a new experience with this class of trade. In England, a few weeks ago, there was an outcry that 50 per cent. of those sent out never reached maturity. Similar complaints have appeared in the American poultry journals, and the New Zealanders are experiencing the same trouble. The losses may arise from several causes, chills received in course of transit, overcrowding, and in some cases unsuitable feeding. In this State there is no need for artificial heat, and on arrival they should be placed in a roomy coop, and small run in the daytime, and well looked after at night, to see they do not trample over each other looking for warm corners. The best food is the usual dry chicken mixtures, but, unfortunately, some of these are now composed largely of broken maize, rather than a variety of other cereals, seeds, etc. If the chickens got a chill on the journey, it usually does not develop for a day or two, but even if noticeable on arrival, an ailing chicken is rarely curable. In some instances deaths may have resulted from some weakness in the parent stock. When sent by rail 30 or 40 should be the limit in one compartment of the travelling box, and this number should not be exceeded in a brooder or rearing coop.

The dairy show is the first of the three annual classical events held in England, the Crystal Palace and Birmingham shows following. The dairy is held early in October, and is always regarded as an index to the season's breeding, being for birds hatched from January 1. of the same year. Reports of the late show state there were 3300 entries. Orpingtons showed a great falling off, there being 230 entries in 16 classes, against 370 the previous year. Blacks dropped from 84 to 53, Whites and Buffs also showing decreases. Plymouth Rocks had but 75 entries, Hamburgs 35, Brown Leghorns 25, Whites 22, and Black 20. The majority of the other breeds had substantial increases. There were 56 Faverolles. The new breed termed Sussex had 108, and the latest American production, Rhode Island Reds, had 75 exhibits. There were a large number of sales made at the Dairy show, particularly in the 40s selling class, the prizewinners being put up for auction. A Plymouth Rock fetched £7. Lady Derby's White Wyandotte £5, over £400 worth being disposed of. In the open classes the best sale recorded was the winning Rhode Island Red pullet, which was claimed at the catalogue price of £20. The modern type of Langshan had but 27 entries against 45 of the old-fashioned type. There were 48 White Orpington cockerels and 75 pullets, these being the largest classes in the show.

DEAR POULTRY FOODS.

The subject of general conversation among poultrymen at the present time is the excessive rates now ruling for all classes of poultry foods. In previous periods of high prices there were invariably some cheap lines to fall back upon, but at the present every article is dear, wheat excepted. There have been times when maize was very high in price, and wheat low, or if both were dear potatoes, oilcake, or a number of other foods were obtainable at reasonable rates. At the present time bran and pollard are about 1s 6d per bushel wholesale, and maize and oilcake double former prices. Oats, barley, and lucerne chaff are all dear, while potatoes, which are a good fattening food, cannot be considered for a moment. Wheat at 4s 6d per bushel is reasonable, the peculiarity being that its offal—bran and pollard—are by weight about the same price. This fact has given some poultrymen the impression that there is some ring or combine in the trade to keep the price up. There is evidently a misconception here. These people must be aware that from every ton of wheat a certain proportion only is bran and pollard, the bulk being flour. The milling capacity of the State is more than double that of the State's consumption of flour, consequently, in the absence of a payable export trade, the mills are about half their time idle. This is one reason for the shortage of offals, to which has to be added the very big increase in consumption within the past year or two. Some poultry men have been discussing the question of co-operative milling. Were there such a thing as making pollard and bran only, the matter might be seriously considered. The flour, however, is the problem, and were it raised to warrant lower rates for the offal Melbourne and Adelaide would flood our market at a lower rate, hence the difficulty of co-operative milling. The millers retort that the greater demand, resulting in a shortage, and a consequent high price for the offals, enables flour to be sold at a lower rate than otherwise would be the case.

This, while an excellent thing for the general public, is rather cold comfort for the poultry breeder, who will for a time be obliged to grin and bear it. However, better prices are ruling for eggs and table poultry, and the big majority are doing as well financially as in previous years.

BOTANY RAILWAY.

Some witnesses before the Parliamentary Works Committee on the subject of a Botany railway protested recently that either of the proposed routes—Tempe or Sydenham—would fail to serve a large proportion of the industries situated in Alexandria and Mascot.

In consequence of this Mr. T. Kennedy, engineer-in-charge of railway surveys, Public Works Department, submitted a further scheme yesterday, providing for the construction of a deviation one mile 50 chains in length, from the proposed Ascot Station to the head of Shea's Creek. This extension, he said, which would involve an extra cost of £16,800 for its construction, could later be continued on to Macdonaldtown or Erskineville, and perhaps form part of the Eastern Suburbs system.

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TRADES AND LABOUR.

MILL EMPLOYEES' AWARD.

INTER-STATE LEVELLING UP.

The conference which inter-State representatives of the Mill Employees' Unions of the different States had in Melbourne last week with representatives of the mill owners, was productive of an agreement, which is good to New South Wales in the matter of wages but not equal to present conditions in some other respects. The main benefits are conferred upon Victoria and South Australia, which have been levelled up considerably. The agreement comes into operation on January 1 next and remains in force for twelve months, three months' notice being required to have it varied. Anything after eight hours must be paid for at overtime rates. The New South Wales secretary (Mr. George Lewis) regards this recognition of the eight hours system as a shining point in the agreement.

Among other things, the agreement provides for the following:—Weekly engagements, minimum rates for adults £2 8s, not more than one youth or apprentice to be employed in the manufacturing or engine-room, and such apprentice to be indentured for five years, foremen or head millers to be paid £3 10s, shift millers or roller-men in charge £3, £3 5s, and £3 10s; purifier men, £2 8s, £2 10s, and £2 12s 6d; smutter men £2 11s; head storeman £2 11s, £2 12s, and £2 16s; minimum rate for apprentices, first year 10s per week, then by 5s yearly rises to 30s; employees carrying wheat to be paid 1s 6d per hour; steam engine drivers £2 17s and £3; firemen £2 10s; time occupied in raising steam to be paid for at time and a quarter; shipwright, £3 6s; old and infirm workers pay to be a matter of arrangement.

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THE DREDGING INDUSTRY.

Mr. A. M. Stewart, Commonwealth Industrial Registrar, has written to the Federated Engine Drivers and Firemen's Association (which made application for a conference to be brought about with the dredge employers) stating that he is in communication with Messrs. Minter, Simpson, and Co., solicitors, with a view to finding out if they are of opinion that an agreement would be likely in the event of the president deciding to summons a conference. The localities concerned are Victoria, Northern New South Wales, and Southern Queensland. In this stretch there are twenty dredge and sluicing companies. The dispute becomes a Federal one as extending beyond the limits of any one State.

ENGINEDRIVERS AND FIREMEN.

All the necessary legal documents and plaints have been prepared in connection with the industrial dispute between the Federated Engine-drivers and Firemen's Association of Australasia and the Tasmanian Gold Mines, Limited, the Queensland National Bank, the Sydney City Council, the Melbourne City Council, the Municipal Tramway Trust of Adelaide, and 190 others carrying on business of metalliferous and coal mining, dredging, sluicing, manufacturing, etc., etc. Mr. A. J. Pearce, general secretary, has filed the plaints, and served them upon all the respondents. An effort is to be made to obtain a compulsory conference with employers, so as to obtain a settlement of the working conditions with as little delay as possible.

MAIN ROADS BILL.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—In a recent issue of your newspaper a statement made by Mr. Arthur Griffith, M.L.A., was noticed in connection with the Main Roads Bill, to the effect that Cessnock Shire Council had informed the department, amongst 30 councils, that they were in favour of a main roads board. My council have therefore instructed me to ask you, in all fairness to the Cessnock Shire Council, to contradict this statement. We have always been opposed to such a board being formed, and at a meeting of my council held on October 30 last it was unanimously decided that we enter our strong protest against the action of the Government in forming this board, as we considered it was practically aiming a death-blow at local government. I am, etc.,

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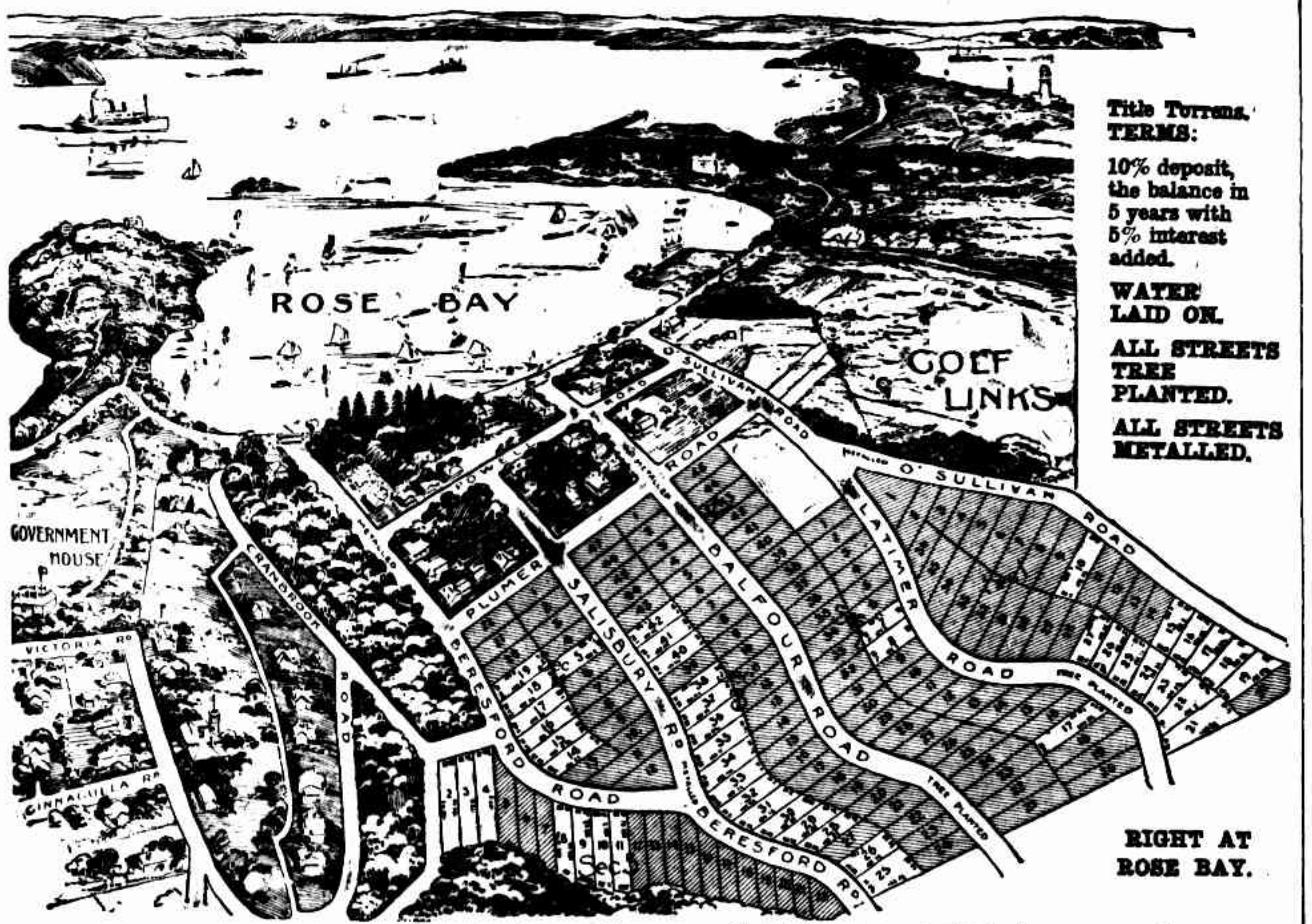

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Sydney, 28th November, 1912.

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TENDERS.
TENDERS will be received until noon on SATURDAY, DECEMBER the 7th, for the following services during the Municipal Year, commencing January 1st, 1913:—
1. Supply of Blue Metal.
2. Cartage of Blue Metal.
3. Supply of Coal Tar.
4. Scavenging and Removal of House Refuse (8 covered carts provided by the Council).
5. Supply and Laying of Stone Kerbing and Guttering.
6. Concrete Kerbing and Guttering (alternative tenders for labour only and material and labour).

Specifications may be seen at this office within office hours.
By order.
CHAS. A. VIVIAN,
Town Clerk.
Council-chambers, Woollahra,
26th November, 1912.

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Specifications may be inspected and forms of tender obtained on application at the offices of the Council.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
J. GOODSIR,
Town Clerk and Engineer.
Town Hall, Balmain,
27th November, 1912.

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TENDERS are invited up to 4 p.m. on THURSDAY, 5th DECEMBER, proximo, for the ERECTION of an ORDNANCE FENCE around Redfern Park.
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R. W. GRIERSON, Town Clerk.
Council Chambers,
29th November, 1912.

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TENDERS are invited up to 16th December, 1912, for Garbage Removal, Street and Gutter Cleaning, and Cartage for 1913. Specifications and particulars from
J. C. LOUGH, Town Clerk.

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Printed forms of tender and all particulars may be obtained from the Assistant Secretary, at the Institution daily, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.
WILLIAM RIGG, hon. secretary.

Metropolitan Board Water Supply and Sewerage,
341 Pitt-st, Sydney, Nov. 29, 1912.
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D. J. M. SIM,
General Manager.

Sydney Harbour Trust Office,
Circular Quay, 7th November, 1912.
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A NEWTOWN FIRE.

OFFICIAL INQUIRY.

DAMAGE IN A MOTOR GARAGE.

The City Coroner, Mr. Hawkins, conducted an inquiry to-day concerning the origin of a fire in a motor garage, at 173 Enmore-road, Newtown, on November 7, when a Clement-Talbot motor car and several other vehicles were burnt. The premises were occupied by Walter Charles Augustus Jones.

Mr. George Martin (instructed by Mr. Leslie Gannon) appeared to watch the interests of Mr. Jones; Mr. Bell (of Woodruff and Bell) on behalf of the Royal Insurance Company; and Mr. Manning represented the Mercantile Mutual Insurance Company, Limited.

Ernest Walter Bell, a fire assessor, produced the insurance proposal, signed by Mr. Jones, covering the contents of the stables and household furniture in the sum of £800, as well as another proposal covering "loss of profits on the business of cab proprietor and livery stable to the extent of £600 per annum."

George Walford, a groom, stated that he used to sleep in the stables at the front of the building. When, on November 7, at about 5.15 a.m., he locked up the premises to go to the city, everything was all right. Alfred Wilson also resided with him. But no one was on the premises when witness left.

Mary Frances Delve, of 175, Enmore-road, said that on the morning in question she remembered a vehicle leaving the back of the stables at between 8.15 and 8.25 a.m. A few minutes after she observed smoke issuing from the building. She then heard someone walk along the top floor of the building.

William B. Goslett, a commission agent, who noticed the smoke above the garage at about 8.58 a.m., ran to the back of the premises and released a horse from the stables by breaking the lock with an axe. He noticed that the blaze was all at the back of the car and upstairs.

An officer of the Newtown Fire Brigade, Arthur George Reeves, told the Court that at about 9.14 he forced an entry through a revolving shutter. Inside he found some naptha or kerosene cases and some bagging alight at the rear of a motor-car in a corner of the garage. Cross-examined by Mr. Manning, witness said he felt sure that the fire had started below. The oil cases were alight. To Mr. Bell, he said that the cases were stacked higher than the back of the car. The bags were against the cases.

On October 3 last witness had received a call to the same premises at midnight. The proprietor then admitted him. There being no fire inside, however, witness put it down as a false alarm. Last year also there had been a small fire in the back bedroom on the ground-floor.

Mitchell Diore, a barman, who slept in the upstairs part of the premises, said that he left at about 6.55 a.m. A day or two previously he had seen a couple of empty boxes lying on the floor near a buggy. He returned to the stables later to find the place on fire. He had been out of work for about seven weeks.

To the Coroner: He could not say who had set the place on fire. He had left Jones's employment on account of sickness and because things were slack.

At this stage the inquiry was adjourned until 11 a.m. on Wednesday.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Not long since the report appeared in the "Herald" of a speech delivered by the honorable the Attorney-General at a place in the country, in which, while denying the imputation of the eviction (so-called) of the Governor-General from the home of his predecessors, the Minister informed his audience that the place was State property, etc. On a previous occasion, on his attention being drawn to the contention of Mr. Sparke (in an able letter in your columns), that, in fact, any such claim on the part of the State Government was unwarranted and untenable, the reply, as reported, was that on the case being put forward on grounds calling for notice, the fallacy of such a contention would be fully shown. It is to be presumed, in the absence of any other attempt at defence coming from authority, that the opinion of Mr. Bevan, lately published, was to be taken as settling the legal question. But Mr. Sparke's rejoinder in last Friday's "Herald," must satisfy all reasonable and unprejudiced persons that the attempt at defence has absolutely broken down.

Perhaps the fact of my having in your columns at an early stage of the controversy drawn attention to the same provisions of the law as those mentioned in Mr. Sparke's first letter, and others not less important, not (so far as I have observed) yet been further noticed; may be held to in some degree excuse me, if only as a layman, not presuming to go beyond the provision of business experience. I venture a little further into a contest in which already high political, legal, and professional authorities are in conflict. But I may plead that, while the legal part of the question is of the simplest, resting on a few sections of familiar administrative enactments, easily understanded of the multitude, the practical question at issue is not of the least importance, coming home to every section of the community, involving public right and deep national interests, not less than the honour and repute of this, the parent and principal State of Australia, and this at a time when she is beginning to hold up her head among the nations.

Although the section of the New South Wales Constitution Act, in which Parliament was empowered (and limited) to deal with the waste lands of the Crown, has been repeatedly quoted in this discussion, there has not been, so far as I can gather, any attempt to show that the building and premises in question can possibly be held to fall within such a category, erected at great Imperial cost, well-known, and occupied during a long series of years by the representative of the Sovereign, the theatre of administration and authority, probably the most valuable and most highly conserved piece of Australian soil, one of the few excepted by the Imperial Government from its magnificent bequest, and retained merely and from the nature of the case, especially for the home and seat of government.

When referring to Mr. Bevan's omission to quote the whole of section 105 of the Crown Lands Act of 1884, Mr. Sparke has pointed out that the omitted part was that prescribing the course of procedure essential to effect any resumption of any dedicated land, and which neither had, nor was pretended to have, been taken in this instance. But a very material condition expressed in the opening words of the same section, seems to have escaped notice. The words are, "In any case in which the Governor shall be of opinion, etc." I had these words in mind when at first contending that the decision in such a matter rested not with Ministers for the time being, but elsewhere; so that even were other conditions satisfied, this alone could have been fatal. The utmost that any Ministry could do in such a case would be for the Executive Council to advise such and such a course, and the approval of the Governor alone could give it vitality. Precedents in many instances illustrate the refusal of the Governor to accept such advice, even in matters falling so entirely within his personal discretion and province, in law and circumstance as the present.

Your correspondent, while charging Mr. Bevan with confounding the Government and Parliament, seems to have failed, in common with the other gentleman, to recognise the distinction in terms and fact between the Government as a whole, and the administration apart from the Governor. That there is such a distinction in law and fact it is only necessary to refer to the necessity for bills passed by Parliament being inoperative without the Royal assent, which the Governor gives or withholds, pursuant to the General Royal Instructions at his own discretion. If withheld, they must go to the Secretary of State for approval or disallowance, and even if assented to in the first instance, may be disallowed within a certain period.

The proceeding threatened by the present Ministers is, so far as appears, without semblance of authority from either the Crown or the law. Resembling the oft-quoted representation of the play of Hamlet minus the Prince of Denmark, it would be farcical, were there not certain elements and threatening of sad and dull tragedy.

A word may not be out of season as to Mr. Carruther's Act regarding arrangements for the accommodation in separate premises of the Governor and Governor-General, which required to take such powers. It is greatly to be regretted from every point of view that some such arrangements are not carried out as may still be done with simple and judicious finality, in place of threatened present confusion.

I am, etc., A. O. MORIARTY.
Iveragh, Goulburn, Nov. 19.

Messrs. Pitt, Son, and Badgery, Ltd., will submit a catalogue of 3600 bales of wool on Thursday, 5th instant, at the Sydney Wool Exchange, Bridge-street, Sydney, which will include some very attractive lines, amongst them being a further parcel of the famous DR/G wool, from Uralla, and Cook and Co. Woolshed brand, from Bundarra. Other noteworthy brands are as follow:—HMC/G (Grenfell), JG/Moolmain (Condobolin), JG/Bungongo (Tumut), JWS/New England (Glen Innes), J. Sle/Mt. Pleasant New England (Dundee), M/Stephash (Gulgong), RG/Bringelong (Condobolin), LMB/NSW Queensland (Cramond), Brigalows (Warren), JB/Woorardana (Hay), Clutha Glen Inverell New England (Glen Innes), JFM/O'Phezan (Queanbeyan), JJ/Ladysmith (Bartabar), P. H. Eddy AP/NE (Inverell), CM/Beecroft New England (Deepwater), DC/Kilgowla (Warren Junction), GAB/Brara (Bungendore), GAB/Acton (Bungendore), GT/Euratha (Yalgogrin North), HDP/Condobolin, CC/Cherry Tree Hill New England (Uralla), TS/Elah (Watkins), and in the scoured section, J. C. and Co./Sandown in dia, 250 bales.—Advt.

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The concert was thoroughly appreciated by the large audience. Mr. C. Hellemann contributed several organ solos, while vocal and instrumental items were provided by Miss Nellie Dwyer, Master Gregory Short, Miss Leah Myers, Miss Lillie M'Gee, and Miss Lena Chisholm.

In introducing Mr. Arthur Hull, the new resident secretary for Australia, Sir William M'Millan, hon. local representative, referred to the progress made in Australia and the scope of the board's activities.

Mr. Hull, who was warmly received, expressed the hope that both the successful and unsuccessful students would try and appreciate the amount of work, thought, and patience their teachers had bestowed upon them. He wished publicly to thank those honorary local representatives for New South Wales and the other States for their continued co-operation and invaluable support, and specially expressed his personal thanks to Sir William M'Millan for his ready and kindly assistance at all times. To those candidates who were not receiving certificates that day, and to those teachers who had spent so much time and trouble in preparing them for the examinations, he advised not to be downhearted, for if they aimed at the highest form of examination they must not always expect to pass successfully the first time. The examinations of the Associated Board and the two Royal colleges stood second to none in Great Britain to-day for efficiency and genuineness, and the certificates granted represented the degree of proficiency attained.

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LOCAL CENTRE EXAMINATIONS.

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SCHOOL EXAMINATIONS.

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PARRAMATTA CENTRE, 1912.

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MAIL COACH ACCIDENT.

URALLA, Tuesday.

The incoming coach from Bundarra met with an accident near Tarryburn. The wind blew a gate against the horses, and they bolted. Before the driver, Russell M'Ginty recovered control of his team the wheel ran into a rut in the road, which unseated him, and he was thrown on to his head. He was still unconscious when a buggy with the mails left five hours afterwards. A passenger named Jones, shearing expert, was also injured.

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A famous physician, whose successful researches into the cause and cure of stomach and intestinal diseases have earned for him an international reputation, said in the course of a recent lecture that nearly all intestinal troubles, as well as many diseases of the vital organs, were directly traceable to a deranged condition of the stomach, which in turn was due nine times out of ten to excessive acidity, which not only irritated and inflamed the delicate lining of the stomach, but also set up gastritis and stomach ulcers. It is interesting to note that he condemns the use of patent medicines, as well as of medical treatment for the stomach, stating that he and his colleagues have secured remarkable results by the use of ordinary bisurated magnesia, which, by neutralising the acidity of the food, removes the source of the trouble. He contends that it is as foolish to treat the stomach itself as it would be for a man who stepped on a tack to rub liniment on the foot without first removing the tack. Remove the tack and the foot will heal itself—neutralise the acid and stomach troubles will disappear. Irritating medicines and medical treatments are useless, so long as the contents of the stomach remain acid; remove the acidity and there will be no need for medicine—the inflamed lining of the stomach will then heal itself. Sufferers from acidity should get a small bottle of bisurated magnesia from their chemist, and take half a teaspoonful in a quarter of a glass of hot or cold water after meals, repeating in fifteen minutes, if necessary, this being the dose which the doctor has found most efficacious in all cases.—Advt.

FUNERALS.

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BURDETT-SMITH.—The Funeral of the late SARAH ELIZABETH SMITH will leave her late residence, Bellevue, Grove-street, Marrickville, THIS (Wednesday) AFTERNOON, at 2.15 p.m., for Waverley Cemetery.
Mrs. P. KIRBY and SON, Ltd.,
7 Elizabeth-street, city.
Tel., 875 Central.

COLLINS.—The Funeral of HORACE WILLIAM COLLINS will move from 50 Experiment-street, Pyrmont, THIS (Wednesday) MORNING, at 8.15, for Rookwood Cemetery.
F. W. HARTLEY, Undertaker,
Joseph Frederick Coffill, Manager,
Ultimo, Newtown, Marrickville, Balmain, Mosman,
Etc., Etc.

DAKIN.—The Relatives and Friends of Mr. and Mrs. HERBERT E. DAKIN are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their dearly-loved INFANT SON, Russell Mowbray; to leave their residence, Coulter-street, Gladesville, THIS AFTERNOON, at 2.30 o'clock, for Presbyterian Cemetery, Field of Mars.
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DAVEY.—The Friends of Mr. WILLIAM DAVEY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his late dearly loved WIFE, Ada Edith; to leave her late residence, 102 Simmons-street, Enmore, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1.30 o'clock, for Congregational Cemetery, Rookwood, via Newtown Station.
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DAVEY.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. HARRIS are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly loved DAUGHTER, Ada Edith Davey, to leave 102 Simmons-street, Enmore, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1.30 o'clock, for Rookwood Cemetery.
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DAVEY.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. E. WHITE are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly loved SISTER, Ada Edith Davey; to leave 102 Simmons-street, Enmore, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1.30 o'clock, for Rookwood Cemetery.
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DAVEY.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. H. SPENCER are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly loved SISTER, Ada Edith Davey; to leave 102 Simmons-street, Enmore, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1.30 o'clock, for Rookwood Cemetery.
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DAVEY.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. NOLAN are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly loved NIECE, Ada Edith Davey; to leave 102 Simmons-street, Enmore, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1.30 o'clock, for Rookwood Cemetery.
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DAVIES.—The Friends of Mr. DAVID DAVIES are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his late dearly-loved WIFE, Ellen; to leave her late residence, Cwm-Avon, 78 Great Buckingham-street, Redfern, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1 o'clock, for Church of England Cemetery, Rookwood.
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DAVIES.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. DAVID DAVIES, Junr., and FAMILY, are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly loved MOTHER and GRANDMOTHER, Ellen Davies; to leave Cwm-Avon, 78 Great Buckingham-street, Redfern, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1 o'clock, for Rookwood Cemetery.

DAVIES.—The Friends of Misses ELIZABETH and EVA and Mr. WILLIAM DAVIES are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly loved MOTHER, Ellen; to leave Cwm Avon, 78 Great Buckingham-street, Redfern, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1 o'clock, for Rookwood Cemetery.
WOOD, COFFILL, and COMPANY, Ltd.

DAVIES.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. BEN. DAVIES and FAMILY, of Gulgong, are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly loved MOTHER and GRANDMOTHER, Ellen Davies; to leave Cwm-Avon, 78 Great Buckingham-street, Redfern, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1 o'clock, for Rookwood Cem.

DAVIES.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. LOVELL and FAMILY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly loved MOTHER and GRANDMOTHER, Ellen Davies, to leave Cwm Avon, 78 Great Buckingham-street, Redfern, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1 o'clock, for Rookwood Cemetery.
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DAVIES.—The Friends of Mrs. W. RICHARDS and FAMILY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly-loved FRIEND, Mrs. Ellen Davies; to leave Cwm-Avon, 78 Great Buckingham-street, Redfern, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1 o'clock, for Rookwood Cemetery. WOOD, COFFILL, and COMPANY, Ltd.

GOULSTON.—The Friends of the late KAUFMANN GOULSTON are invited to attend his Funeral; to leave Sydney Hospital, Domain entrance, THIS DAY, at 1 o'clock, and from the Mortuary at 1.55.
SAMUELS,
166 Castlereagh-street.

JAMIESON.—The Relatives and Friends of Mrs. R. A. JAMIESON and FAMILY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of her late dearly loved HUSBAND, and their FATHER, John C.; to leave their residence, Burnside, 47 Frazer-road, Lewisham, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1.30 o'clock, for Presbyterian Cemetery, Rookwood, via Lewisham Station.
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JAMIESON.—Masonic Lodge, Wardell, No. 182.—The Officers and Members of the above Lodge are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of Worshipful Brother JAMIESON, to leave his late residence, 47 Frazer-street, Lewisham, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1.30 p.m., for Rookwood Cemetery, via Lewisham Station.
T. REYNOLDS, W.M.
W. H. ATWILL, Hon. Sec.

MABIN.—The Friends of the late Mrs. I. H. MABIN (nee Collins) are kindly invited to attend her Funeral; to move from her late residence, 80 Flinders-street, Moore Park, THIS WEDNESDAY, at 2.30 p.m., for Waverley Cemetery. CHARLES KINSELA, Funeral Director, 143 Oxford-street. Tel., 664 Padd.

MACKENZIE.—The Funeral of the late Miss CATHERINE MACKENZIE will leave her late residence, Kenilworth, 24 Cowles-road, Mosman, THIS AFTERNOON, at 2.30 o'clock, for Church of England Cemetery, Gore Hill.
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MATTERSON.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. MATTERSON are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their dearly loved and sadly missed youngest DAUGHTER, Gertrude Veronica; to leave their residence, St. Ives, Toothill-street, Lewisham, THIS AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, for Catholic Cemetery, Waverley.
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MATTERSON.—The Friends of SARA, ALICE, LIZZIE, ELSIE, JOE, and CLARIE MATTERSON are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their dearly loved and sadly missed youngest SISTER, Gertrude Veronica, to leave St. Ives, Toothill-street, Lewisham, THIS AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, for Catholic Cemetery, Waverley.
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MATTERSON.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. T. McAFFERY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their dearly loved and sadly missed SISTER-IN-LAW and SISTER, Gertrude Veronica, to leave St. Ives, Toothill-street, Lewisham, THIS AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, for Catholic Cemetery, Waverley.
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MATTERSON.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. PERCIVAL HARRISON and FAMILY are respectfully requested to attend the Funeral of their late beloved NIECE and COUSIN, Gertrude Matterson, to move from parents' residence, St. Ives, Toothill-street, Lewisham, THIS DAY, at 2 p.m., for Waverley Cemetery.

THE Friends of Mr. and Mrs. JOSEPH CLIMPSON and FAMILY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their NIECE and COUSIN, Gertrude Matterson; to leave St. Ives, Toothill-street, Lewisham, THIS WEDNESDAY, at 2 p.m., for Waverley Cemetery.

PAYER.—The Funeral of the late MATTHEW PAYER will leave St. Patrick's Church, Church-hill, THIS WEDNESDAY, at 1 o'clock, for Catholic Cemetery, Rookwood.
Mrs. P. KIRBY and SON, Ltd.,
7 Elizabeth-street, city.
Tel., 875 Central.

PAYER.—A Requiem Mass for the eternal repose of the soul of the late MATTHEW PAYER will be celebrated in St. Patrick's Church, THIS (Wednesday) MORNING, at 7 o'clock.
Mrs. P. KIRBY and SON, Ltd.,
7 Elizabeth-street, Sydney.

PILF.—The Funeral of the late GEORGE PILF, Senior, will leave his late residence, Carmorth, The Avenue, Ashfield, THIS AFTERNOON.
GEO. ANDREWS,
Funeral Director.
'Phones,
35 A. and 115 S.
Newtown and Ashfield.

QUINLAN.—The Friends of PATRICK, JOHN, and WILLIAM QUINLAN are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved BROTHER and COUSIN, Dennis, which will leave No. 140 Eveleigh-street, Redfern, on THURSDAY MORNING, at 8.30 o'clock, for the Botany Cemetery.
JOSEPH MEDCALF, Undertaker, Redfern.

QUINLAN.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. HORACE VAUGHAN, and of Mr. and Mrs. JOHN ROACHE, are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved BROTHER, Dennis, which will leave No. 140 Eveleigh-street, Redfern, on THURSDAY MORNING, at 8.30 o'clock, for the Botany Cemetery.
JOSEPH MEDCALF, Undertaker, Redfern.

SMITH.—The Funeral of the late GEORGE THOMPSON SMITH will leave our Mortuary Chapel, 810-12 George-street, city, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1.15 o'clock, for Presbyterian Cemetery, Rookwood.
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WOOTTEN.—The Relatives and Friends of Mr. and Mrs. SYDNEY WOOTTEN are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly loved INFANT SON, Sidney Frank; to leave their residence, [illegible] Park, THIS AFTERNOON, at [illegible] o'clock, for Church of England Cemetery, Canterbury.
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FUNERALS.

WILLIAMS.—The Friends of the late Mrs. ANN WILLIAMS, Dressmaker, are kindly invited to attend her Funeral; to leave Winston, 202 Glenmore-road, Paddington, THIS (Wednesday) AFTERNOON, at 12.45, for Methodist Ground, Rookwood.
CHARLES KINSELA,
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WILLIAMS.—The Friends of Miss ALICE WILLIAMS, Mr. and Mrs. DAVID WILLIAMS, Mr. and Mrs. PENRY WILLIAMS, Miss DORIS and Master FRANK WILLIAMS are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved MOTHER and GRANDMOTHER, the late Ann Williams; to leave her residence, Winston, 202 Glenmore-road, Paddington, THIS (Wednesday) AFTERNOON, at 12.45, for Methodist Ground, at Rookwood.
CHARLES KINSELA, 143 Oxford-street.

WILLIAMS.—The Friends of Mr. PETER PATERSON are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved SISTER-IN-LAW, Ann Williams; to move from her residence, Winston, 202 Glenmore-road, Paddington, THIS DAY, Wednesday, at 12.45 p.m., for Rookwood Cemetery.

WILLIAMS.—The Friends of Mrs. E. TODD and FAMILY, of Suffolk-street, Paddington, and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. TODD, of Penshurst, are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of her dearly beloved SISTER and their AUNT, Mrs. Annie Williams; to leave her late residence, Winston, Glenmore-road, Paddington, at 12.45 o'clock, for the Methodist Cemetery, Rookwood.

WILLIAMS.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. HARRY T. WAKEHAM are requested to attend the Funeral of their beloved AUNT; to move from her late residence, Winston, 202 Glenmore-road, Paddington, at 12.45, for the Wesleyan Cemetery, Rookwood.

A SOLEMN REQUIEM OFFICE and MASS for the repose of the Soul of the Reverend JOHN J. BYRNE will take place at St. Benedict's Church, George-street West, on TUESDAY, December 10th, at 10 a.m. His Grace the Archbishop will preside.

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GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

FEDERAL CAPITAL SITE. POWER GENERATING PLANT.

TENDERS will be received until 12 noon on MONDAY, the 16th December, 1912, for the following:—
(1) SUPPLY, DELIVERY, and ERECTION of an ECONOMISER, of the Green's Type.
(2) SUPPLY and ERECTION of STEEL FRAME of the Power Generating Station.
Tenders, on the printed forms, accompanied by necessary deposit, and endorsed as above, should be addressed "The Secretary, Department of Home Affairs," care of the Commonwealth Works Director, Customs House, Sydney, where plans, specifications, and forms are available.
No tender will necessarily be accepted.
KING O'MALLEY,
Minister of State for Home Affairs.

COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA.
Department of Home Affairs,
Melbourne, November 28, 1912.
TENDERS FOR DRAINAGE TO DRILL HALL, LANGFORD STREET, NEWCASTLE.

TENDERS are invited, to close noon on Monday, the 16th December, 1912, for Drainage to Drill Hall, Langford-street, NEWCASTLE.
Specification and plan can be seen on application to: Postmaster, Newcastle, and at the Office of the Works Director for New South Wales, Customs House (4th floor), Sydney, to whom tenders, endorsed as above, should be addressed.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
KING O'MALLEY,
Minister of State for Home Affairs.

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE
Melbourne, 30th November, 1912.

TENDERS will be received, subject to the conditions of Tendering, until noon on the 30th DECEMBER, 1912, for the Supply and Delivery f.o.r. at the works at Flinders Naval Base, Victoria, of—
1. HARDWOOD PILES.
2. SAWN HARDWOOD OF VARIOUS DIMENSIONS.
Particulars, tender forms, and conditions may be obtained at the office of the District Naval Officer, Sydney.
Tenders (which must be on the prescribed form), endorsed "Tender for Hardwood," are to be addressed direct (if by post, prepaid) to the Naval Secretary, Navy Office, Melbourne.
The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.
G. F. PEARCE,
Minister of State for Defence.

COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA.
Department of Home Affairs,
Melbourne, 28th November, 1912.
TENDERS FOR THE PURCHASE OF BOILERS, ENGINES, Etc., AT ELECTRIC COMPANY'S DEPOT, MOORE PARK, SYDNEY.

TENDERS are invited, to close noon on MONDAY, the 16th DECEMBER, 1912, for the Purchase and Removal of Boilers, Steam Engines, and Accessories, at the ELECTRIC COMPANY'S DEPOT, MOORE PARK, SYDNEY.
Full particulars can be obtained on application to the Works Director for New South Wales, Customs House (4th floor), Sydney, to whom tenders, endorsed as above, should be addressed.
The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
KING O'MALLEY,
Minister of State for Home Affairs.

SMALL ARMS FACTORY.
TENDERS FOR THE PURCHASE OF SCRAP METAL.

TENDERS will be received by the Manager, Small Arms Factory, Lithgow, up to noon on MONDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1912, for the purchase of Scrap Steel, Brass, etc., for the ensuing six months.
Particulars may be obtained and samples of the material seen at the Small Arms Factory, Lithgow, and at the office of the Senior Ordnance Officer, George-street North, Sydney.
A. C. WRIGHT,
Manager.

CALLS AND DIVIDENDS ON SHARES

JUNCTION NORTH BROKEN HILL MINE, No Liability.

FIRST AND FINAL NOTICE.
NOTICE is hereby given that a CALL (the Third) of one shilling per share has been made, due and payable at the Registered Office of the Company, 361 Collins-street, Melbourne, on WEDNESDAY, the 11th December, 1912.
All shares on which the Call is unpaid 14 days after that date become (in terms of the Act) FORFEITED.
As it is necessary that this call be collected promptly, a cheque should be forwarded at once.
By order of the Board,
HENRY M. FIELDER, Manager.

Although payable at the Registered Office of the Company, Melbourne, the Call will be accepted either at the Melbourne Office or at the Sydney Office, Vickery's-chambers, 76 Pitt-street, Sydney. When remitting call, shareholders must state the name in which the scrip stands, and give consecutive numbers of shares. Exchange must be added to country and interstate cheques.

BUCHANAN'S TIN MINE, NO LIABILITY.
NOTICE is hereby given that a Call, the 11th, of 6d per Share, has been made on all Contributing Shares in the above company; the said Call being due and payable at the office of the Company, 7, 8, 9 Australasia-chambers (second floor), Martin-place, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, the 11th DECEMBER, 1912.
By Order of the Board,
J. E. COCKER,
December 2, 1912. Secretary.

BUCHANAN'S TIN MINE, NO LIABILITY.
NOTICE is hereby given that all Shares, as under, in the above Company, on which the 10th Call of 6d, due and payable on NOVEMBER 13, 1912, has not been paid, are forfeited, and will be Sold by Public Auction, in the Vestibule of the Stock Exchange, Pitt-street, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, December 11, 1912, at 11.30 in the forenoon, unless the calls are previously paid at the company's office. Nos. 4601-5800, 8801-9000, 9001-10000, 12201-13400, 15609-15688, 13501-14100, 15620-15678.
By Order of the Board.
J. E. COCKER, Secretary.
7, 8, 9 Australasia-cham., Martin-place, Dec. 3, 1912.
The Public are admitted to the Vestibule of the Exchange for the purpose of the sale.

THE BRITISH BROKEN HILL PROPRIETARY COMPANY, LIMITED.
EIGHTEENTH DIVIDEND.
The Dividend due on the new issue (1912) shares, viz., 20 per cent. on the capital paid up, calculated from the dates of allotment and of subsequent payments, to 31st December, will be paid on the [illegible] to Shareholders registered on 29th November.
F. H. CLARK,
Secretary.
Adelaide, 28th November, 1912.

GOULMA COPPER OPTIONS, NO LIABILITY.
NOTICE is hereby given that a Call of £1 per Share has been declared due and payable at the office of the company, Australasia-chambers, Martin-place, Sydney, on the 11th day of DECEMBER, 1912.
J. E. COCKER,
Secretary.
7, 8, 9 Australasia-chambers,
Martin-place,
Sydney.

QUEEN BEE COPPER MINING COMPANY, NO LIABILITY.—NOTICE is hereby given that a Call, the 13th, of 3d per Share has been made on all Contributing A Shares in the above company; the said call is due and payable at the office of the company, 7, 8, 9 Australasia-chambers (second floor), Martin-place, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, the 11th day of DECEMBER, 1912.
By Order of the Board.
Dec. 2, 1912. J. E. COCKER, Legal Manager.

THE MOUNT FISHER COPPER-MINING COMPANY, NO LIABILITY.
Notice is hereby given that a Call, the Fourth, of Three Pence per Share on the Contributing Shares (issued) in the above Company has this day been made, and is due and payable to the undersigned at 10 Post-office-chambers, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, the 11th day of December, 1912. By order, R. E. A. MILLER, Manager.

STATE PARLIAMENT.

NEAR THE END.

BILLS RUSHED THROUGH.

WORKS AUTHORISED.

It is understood that the last sitting of the session will be held to-day. Yesterday the Assembly met at 4 p.m., having been engaged since 2 on Monday afternoon till 10 minutes past 5 in the morning. The House did not adjourn, the proceedings being merely "suspended." It was stated in the lobbies that the main reason for not commencing a new sitting yesterday was that there were a great many petitions against the Government's action in regard to Government House waiting to be presented, and as this formality can only take place at the commencement of a sitting the unpleasantness was avoided by the Ministers, and the members entrusted with their presentation were left with them on their hands.

Last night was given over almost entirely to Mr. Griffith. He was unable to say what the total amount involved in the railways, sewerage works, and other constructional undertakings for which he brought in and passed bills would amount to. When the Opposition asked how much the whole would come to he airily declared that he had not added the amounts up, and he then moved the suspension of all standing orders so that the bills might be rushed through. One at least is to run into over a million, and another to half a million of money, but, of course, there is nothing in sight at present but a few thousand pounds in regard to each for preliminary works, as provided in the Estimates.

COMMISSIONER FOR YANCO.

After midnight of Monday the House sat in committee to consider the clauses of the bill to appoint a commissioner to superintend the Murrumbidgee irrigation area and all other irrigation undertakings.

The acting leader of the Opposition (Mr. Wood) gave his opinion of what the management of the Murrumbidgee area should be. There should be a responsible manager to supervise the detailed work, while at the same time there should be an advisory board, consisting of that officer and other experts, who should be in touch with the Minister and Parliament in connection with the general policy of the administration of the area.

Mr. M'Garry's idea was that there should be a board of control, or three commissioners, each giving special thought to one phase of settlement.

The proposal for one commissioner met with the approval of Mr. Waddell, but he considered he should be in charge of Yanco only.

The clause providing for one commissioner was carried by 35 to 30, Mr. M'Garry and Mr. M'Donald voting against the Government.

An attempt by Mr. Wood to take the appointment of officers receiving over £500 out of the hands of the Government was defeated.

A long debate occurred on the proposal to invest the disposition and allotment of irrigation blocks in the Commissioner, the Minister explaining that the land-board system had resulted in a number of applicants for blocks at Yanco being inexplicably "turned down." Mr. M'Donald (Labour) pointed out that the proposal would deprive settlers of the benefits of the Land Acts.

The bill was taken through committee.

MINERS ACCIDENT RELIEF BILL.

The Minister for Mines, Mr. Edden, indicated his assent to amendments made by the Council in the Miners Accident Relief (Amendment) Bill. One was that the Under-Secretary should be the chairman of the board, and the acting leader of the Opposition, Mr. Wood, took occasion to point out that it was on the lines of what he suggested, namely, that the Minister should be the president. He complained that the Government did not receive Opposition amendments in the spirit in which they were advanced.

The House accepted the Council's amendments.

STATE COALMINES BILL.

The amendments made by the Council in the State Coalmines Bill were, the Minister for Mines stated, acceptable to himself and the Ministry. The purchase of any mining property had to be by Act of Parliament. Another amendment removed the original obligation that the railways should use the coal, whether suitable or not, and provided that it should only be used if regarded as suitable by the Railway Commissioners.

Mr. Levy: The Council let you off very light on account of your inexperience and your youth. (Liberal laughter.)

The acting leader of the Opposition pointed out that the bill had really been drastically amended by the Council, and on the basis upon which the Opposition had criticised the measure. "If he goes on these lines," he added, "I am satisfied there will be no State coalmines for many years to come."

The point was made by Mr. Price (Liberal) that the Government now had to accept amendments in clauses on which discussion had been "gagged."

The amendments were agreed to by the house.

FRUIT CASES BILL.

At the instance of the Minister for Agriculture (Mr. Trefle), the House agreed to the amendment made by the Council in the Fruit Cases Bill.

INDUSTRIAL ARBITRATION BILL.

The amendments, with one exception, inserted by the Council in the Industrial Arbitration Bill were, on the motion of Mr Beeby, accepted.

THE GAS BILL.

Mr. Holman explained the amendments that it was proposed to accept in the Gas Bill.

Municipal gasworks, the Attorney-General said, would only come under the bill where they competed with private companies. The candle-power was increased from 14 to 15. Then there was a readjustment of the method of testing to suit the convenience of companies more effectually, and notice was to be given when testing was to be carried out. It was proposed that where, through the operation of an arbitration award, the wages of employees of gasworks were increased and that increased the cost of production above the cost on January 1 next, the companies were permitted to raise the standard price of gas. The standard price of gas was maintained at 3s 6d per 1000 cubic feet.

At this stage, 5.10 a.m., the Deputy-Speaker left the chair till 4 p.m.

IRRIGATION COMMISSIONER.

On resuming in the afternoon, the Minister for Works, without ceremony, moved the third reading of the Irrigation Bill.

Mr. Wood strongly objected to its passage, on the ground that it was being rushed through without proper consideration.

"We have not even had time to deal with it intelligently," he added, slapping the table, and eyeing the Minister for Works.

Mr. Griffith smiled unconcernedly.

"This official is an unknown quantity to us in our legislative efforts hitherto," said Mr. Wood. "He is to be given huge powers. He is to be a sort of combined Minister, royal commissioner, and cold storage boss, as fell as a fruiterer, and a manager of public works."

He pointed out the anomalous position that was to be created by the Minister having the appointment of certain officers, so that the Commissioner would be expected to work with what might be political machinery. It was quite possible, he argued, that he would have incompetent men given him, a thing not unknown in the Public Service. He urged that there was no logical reason for the haste that was being made with the bill.

Mr. Griffith made an observation which enabled Mr. Wood to seize upon the fact that Mr. L. A. B. Wade, notwithstanding the announcement some time ago by the Minister, was carrying out the wishes of the board. "The responsibility," he asseverated, "evidently doesn't rest on any mistakes Mr. Wade has made, but on mistakes the trust has made."

"I would much prefer, if a commissioner is to be appointed, that he should be restricted in his general powers as far as policy is concerned, but made absolute as far as the powers in the control of the staff are concerned," he added.

The debate was continued by Messrs. Lonsdale, McFarlane, Price, J. Miller, Levy, Ball, and McCourt. The last-named moved to shelve the bill, but the voting was, Ministerial 36, Opposition 30, and the bill was passed. Mr. Griffith, in reply to the criticisms that had been made against the bill, pointed out that it provided for the right of control by the Government where questions of policy arose, the commissioner having the machinery for carrying out the work under him.

WORKS BILLS.

When Mr. Griffith moved, as a matter of urgency, that a number of bills, including one for the construction of a railway from Condobolin to Broken Hill, should be introduced and passed through all their stages in one day, a storm of protest arose from the Opposition.

Mr. Wood strongly protested that there was no good in passing works which it was impossible to carry out during this financial year. The idea of the works being regarded as urgent, under these circumstances, was ridiculous.

"Crawling along like wounded snakes," was the description given by Mr. Fitzpatrick (Lib.) of some belated works which had been passed, but never carried out. "Why should these things be bullocked through at this stage?" the hon. member asked.

The Ministerial motion was carried.

WEST MAITLAND SEWERAGE.

Mr. Griffith said that the estimated cost of the West Maitland Sewerage system, which was the first work dealt with as a matter of urgency, would be about £54,000.

The bill was introduced, and passed through all its stages.

NORTHERN BREAKWATER, PORT KEMBLA.

It was explained by Mr. Griffith that this work was very necessary, owing to the tons of sand which were being washed into the port. The bill provided for the extension of the northern breakwater.

The measure was introduced and passed through all its stages.

A bill to establish a sewerage system in the municipality of Tamworth, at a cost of £47,200, was also carried through all its stages.

The House agreed, practically without comment from the Opposition, to a bill to sanction the construction of a line of tramway from Broadmeadow to Waratah (Newcastle).

"You are giving us the fullest information regarding these bills," remarked an Opposition member sarcastically, amidst laughter, when the bill went through without a word of explanation from Mr. Griffith.

IMPROVING SOUTHERN GRADIENTS.

The expenditure of half a million sterling was asked for by the Minister when he invited the House to sanction a bill to authorise the carrying out of improvements of the gradients of the Great Southern railway, between Cullarin and Harden.

Mr. Griffith told Mr. Wood that about one half the money would come from the duplication and one half from the deviation fund.

Without a word, the Opposition, and the House as a whole, gave the necessary sanction, and the bill was passed through all its stages.

NEWCASTLE BREAKWATER.

A similar scene of quiet resignation on the part of the Opposition characterised the passage of a bill to sanction the extension of the southern breakwater at Newcastle Harbour entrance, at a cost of £64,000.

The House had now passed three bills, through all their stages in a little more than 30 minutes, or an average of ten minutes per bill.

CONDOBOLIN TO BROKEN HILL LINE.

The estimated cost of the proposed line from Condobolin to Broken Hill, which the House was asked to sanction, was, Mr. Griffith explained, £1,375,000. The length of the line would be 372 miles, which would be constructed with 80lb rails, the Commissioner recognising that this would be portion of the great transcontinental line, and heavy rails were therefore advisable. The estimated annual cost was about £91,000, and the estimated earnings were set down at £110,000.

It was a ridiculous proposition, Mr. Wood declared, to invite the House to sanction a line which was to cost such an amount, in view of the position in which the State stood regarding obtaining money.

"This won't be carried out for the next 30 years," he exclaimed; "the whole position is utterly ridiculous."

Mr. Wood further characterised the scheme as a speculation. The transcontinental line was a Federal concern—was this State going to have a second, or supplemental, transcontinental railway? Ridiculous. Among the grounds given for advocating the line, it was set out that it would facilitate the conveyance of troops for purposes of defence. What, he asked, had the State to do with defence? The House was not going to carry a railway proposition on the ground that they were assisting in the defence of the State. It would be another matter if the Federal Government asked them to undertake it. But otherwise there was no justification for carrying out the work, which belonged to the Federal Government.

The bill was introduced, and passed through all its stages.

WYALONG TO LAKE CUDGELLICO.

The second reading of the Wyalong to Lake Cudgellico Railway Bill was agreed to.

The line will cost a quarter of a million of money, but, said Mr. Griffith, a great quantity of Crown lands would be opened up along its route. This was one of the main objects of the line. Surveyors were even now going over the country, and people would certainly settle there as soon as the line was constructed.

The bill was passed through all its stages.

The House agreed to a bill to authorise the expenditure of about £2500 on a scheme of sewerage for the Municipality of Dubbo.

After midnight a bill was passed providing for the removal of the Carrington bridge at Newcastle, the removal being in connection with harbour improvements.

A bill was passed to sanction the construction of a tram line from Bellevue Hill to Bondi Beach at a cost of £30,000.

Certain amendments among those made by the Council to the schedule of the Arbitration Bill were disagreed with.

A bill was passed enabling auction sales to be held after the ordinary hours, by permission of a Court of Petty Sessions, the measure being designed to meet requirements in respect to wool, and other sales at Albury.

The first reading of a bill to amend the Acts relating to companies was agreed to.

A Friendly Societies Amending Bill was passed, giving power to the actuary to allow the societies to use the surplus funds as long as they were given certificates.

The House adjourned at 1.20 a.m. till 2.30 this afternoon.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

EARLY CLOSING BILL.

Mr Garland presented two petitions against certain features of the Early Closing Bill. One was from 290 tobacconists in Sydney, and the other from 120 shopkeepers in Newcastle.

FELLOW OF THE UNIVERSITY SENATE.

The Vice-President of the Executive Council gave notice of his intention to move on the following day that Sir Francis Suttor, the President, be appointed as the representative of the Legislative Council on the University Senate, under the Act just passed.

LAKE COWAL RESUMPTION.

The Vice-President of the Executive Council moved that, subject to the provisions of the Crown Lands Act of 1908, the House approves of £15,000 being paid, by way of compensation, by agreement by the Minister for Lands, with the lessees for the surrender to the Crown of scrub lease 98, comprising an area of 14,000 acres, and part of scrub lease 59, comprising an area of 31,260 acres, on the Lake Cowal pastoral holding, together with all improvements. The resumption, he said, had been mutually agreed upon. The land would be helpful in promoting closer settlement. It could cut into blocks of 800 acres. Situated in the Wyalong district, it was well suited for agriculture.

The motion was carried without discussion.

SHEARERS AND AGRICULTURAL LABOURERS.

MEASURE PRACTICALLY SHELVED.

The debate on the second reading of the Shearers and Agricultural Labourers' Accommodation Bill was resumed by Mr. Kater. He thought it a mistake to include agricultural labourers in the measure. They were not referred to in the Act of 1901. Most of the provisions in the bill relating to shearers were dealt with in the Act he had mentioned already. The pastoralists had carefully carried out their part. What he found fault with was that all the accommodation conditions were to be left to regulations gazetted by the Ministry of the day. These important matters should not be left to the caprice of a Government. There seemed to be a disposition to strip bills of all power and delegate it to the Ministers of the day. He supposed that under the bill a great deal of reliance would be placed upon the opinions of the inspector. He admitted that there may be some employers who did not treat their men well, and in that case it might be necessary to pass some legislation. It would be absurd that pastoralists who had complied with the existing Act should be compelled to alter all their improvements because an inspector may come along and say that they were not to his liking.

Mr. Ashton did not think there would be any serious objection to the bill's main principles, but there would certainly be as to the regulations. The Act of 1901 had proved satisfactory. All sides agreed with that. There should be a clause in this measure setting out that the improvements made under the 1901 Act shall be deemed to be satisfactory. It would be outrageous to compel a man to pull down improvements which were made under one law so that they should comply with another.

Mr. Pilcher said that legislation by regulation was most imprudent.

Mr. Fosbery said that there was one matter which had come under his personal knowledge in regard to the proposal to create an army of inspectors, who would go from one end of the country to the other poking their inquisitorial noses into the holdings of persons who did their best to carry out the law as it existed at present. The duty might well be left to the police, who, since the Act of 1901, had experienced no difficulty in ensuring that reasonable accommodation was provided.

Mr. O'Conor said that while a member of previous Government he had had an opportunity of observing the working of the Act, and he had heard no complaints then or since.

Mr. Kater: I have never heard any in my district.

The Vice-President of the Executive Council in reply said that the Government had no intention of appointing an army of inspectors, as suggested by Mr. Fosbery, and the duty as hitherto, would be carried out by the police.

The second reading of the bill was agreed to on division, by 19 to 15, and the bill was taken into committee.

Clause 2 "Definitions" was amended on the motion of Mr. A. J. Browne, by adding after the word "shearer," in line 5, at the end of the first paragraph, the words "Nor any member of the family of the employer." On the motion of Mr. Jago Smith, the clause was further amended by omitting, in lines 14, 15, and 16, after the word "appointed," the words "under the Factories and Shops Act of 1896 (hereafter referred to as the Factories Act), or."

Mr. Garland moved the addition to the end of the paragraph of the clause defining "sugar workers" of the words, "but does not include persons engaged in harvesting sugar cane."

The amendment was agreed to on division, by 17 to 12.

In clause 3 "Inspectors," Mr. Pilcher moved the addition to the clause of words providing that the inspectors should be members of the police force.

The Vice-President of the Executive Council said the Government had no intention of appointing inspectors specially for this purpose.

The amendment was carried by 17 to 12.

The Vice-President of the Executive Council said he thought it useless to go any further. He felt that, although the House had carried the second reading of the bill, he could not go on wasting time by going through clause after clause, which might be subjected to irritating amendments which, perhaps, on a more suitable occasion, would not be carried. He did not think the amendments already made were improvements, and in the circumstances he thought he was justified in moving that the chairman report progress, and ask leave to sit again.

Mr. Kater said that the representative of the Government could, of course, do what he liked with the bill, but he did not think he was justified in making the assertion he had made. He (Mr. Kater) objected to the second reading, and divided the House on it, but so far he had moved no amendment, and Mr. Ashton, who made a strong speech against the second reading, had moved no amendment either. The hon. gentleman therefore should not turn round and say that the objectors to the bill were so disposed that it was no use going on with it. He thought the amendments carried in the bill were good ones, and he raised his protest against the representative of the Government speaking as he had done, and treating the committee in such a cavalier way.

The Vice-President of the Executive Council said he had not the slightest desire to be discourteous to hon. members, but this was the end of the session, and that members were not in a temper to deal with the bill properly was proved by the amendments that had already been made. It seemed to him that there appeared to be a desire to amend the bill in such a way as to prevent an ultimate arrangement being come to about it.

Mr. Kater: You have no right to say that.

Progress was then reported, and leave given to sit again on the following day.

IRRIGATION BILL.

The Irrigation Bill (No. 2) was read a first time.

HEIGHT OF BUILDINGS.

The Vice-President of the Executive Council moved that the amendments of the Assembly in the Height of Buildings Bill be agreed to, which was carried on the voices.

SENATORIAL ELECTIONS.

The Vice-President of the Executive Council moved the second reading of the Senators' Elections' Bill, which was agreed to without debate.

The bill was then passed through committee without amendment, and reported to the House. With concurrence, the third reading was passed.

CLOSER SETTLEMENT BILL.

The Vice-President of the Executive Council moved the second reading of the Closer Settlement Amendment Bill (No. 2). He explained that it was intended to introduce a much more comprehensive measure to provide for the resumption of leases, but time would not permit, and a less pretentious measure had been decided upon. Power was wanted to resume leases the same as freeholds.

Mr. Ashton: That means power to resume the whole of the leases of the Western division.

Mr. Flowers admitted that, but it would not be practicable to pursue so sweeping a policy as that, even supposing that power existed. The measure of compensation to be paid would be the same as in other cases—application to the local land board, and the right to go to the Land Appeal Court. The object was not so much to compulsorily resume as to give power to complete the resumption of leases under offer for closer settlement, and to give lessees the opportunity to make offers. The very best advertisement that they could give the country was to have land available for people when they arrived here.

Mr. Ashton: What about the 30 million acres Mr. Nielsen discovered. (Laughter.)

Mr. Flowers: Those lands are too far from railways to be available at once. But before the session was over he hoped that at least two railway bills would be passed, which would reach some of these lands, and make them available for settlement.

Mr. Kater: But where are those 30 million acres? (Laughter.)

Mr. Flowers said that settled leased lands were really Crown lands, and some of those proposed to be resumed under the bill were included in the 30 million acres referred to. The great thing, he continued, was to effect resumptions quickly. The machinery of this bill provided for that. The valuations were to be fixed by the Advisory Board, and the Minister could not depart from them. He admitted that the western land should be operated by a separate bill, and administered separately. He thought that the time had arrived when the Government must take steps regarding those western lands. Those areas could be put to better use, in some parts at any rate, than was the case now.

Mr. Ashton regarded the western land proposals as the most important feature of the bill. There was no definite provision to secure the leases by purchase under agreement.

The Vice-President of the Executive Council, in reply, said he would withdraw the western division from the operation of the bill.

The second reading was agreed to, and in committee clause 3 was amended by omitting the words "or any lease granted under the Western Lands Act." In clause four the words "and any agreement" in the first proviso, were omitted, and the following words inserted: "Except a resumption by agreement with the lessee, and in respect of which the compensation agreed to be paid does not exceed £15,000." Sub-clause three of the same clause was also omitted, and the following substituted: "Such compensation shall be determined by a court constituted as provided by section 18 of the Closer Settlement Act of 1904, and the decision of the Judge and one of the Assessors of such Court shall be the determination of the Court, and shall be final." Amendments were also made consequential on the amendment omitting the western division, and the bill was passed through its remaining stages.

EARLY CLOSING BILL.

The Vice-President of the Executive Council, in moving the second reading of the bill, said that as far as the experiment had gone the early closing of certain shops had proved fairly successful, and no body of men appreciated the change more than the shopkeepers themselves. The bill—which was a consolidating as well as an amending measure—would remove certain anomalies and give the same privilege of early closing to a class of shopkeepers who for some time past had been very strongly agitating for it. He then referred to the details of the bill, and said that the proposals which might prove contentious were those relating to poulterers, hairdressers and tobacconists, chemists and druggists, but if they got into committee a way might be found out of the difficulty.

Mr. Garland said that, while no doubt the bill was to some extent a consolidating measure, it contained a number of serious alterations in the law. The difficulty he felt in regard to the alterations was not that he felt it to be a wrong thing that certain classes of shops should be shut early, but that the shutting of some of these shops left the way open to competitors who were not obliged to close. That objection would apply to tobacconists, who would have a right to complain if hotelkeepers were permitted to sell tobacco and cigars after they (the tobacconists) had closed.

Mr. J. A. Browne pointed out that three of the clauses had nothing at all to do with the closing of shops, and the matters dealt with had been covered by wages board awards.

Mr. T. Hughes suggested that, after the second reading further consideration should be withheld.

Mr. Pilcher said that in cases of sudden illness it was absurd that a man should be obliged to get a certificate or a declaration before a prescription could be got from a chemist.

Dr. Nash said the proposal to close up the chemists' shops at an early hour was a danger.

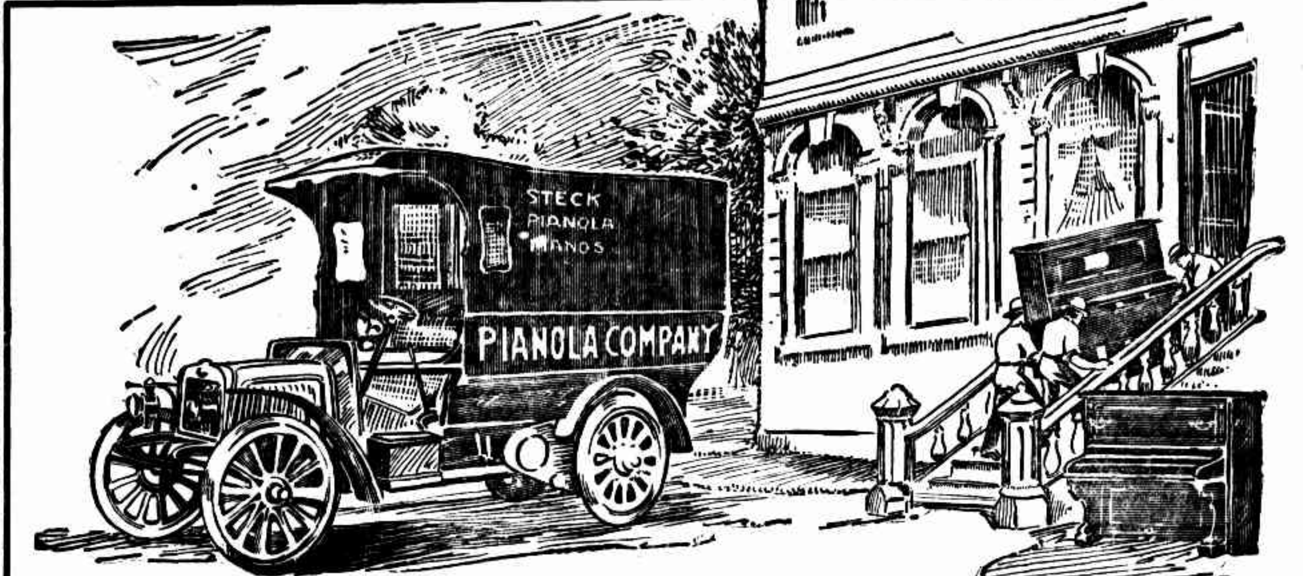
Mr. Holden claimed that the people engaged in the shops had asked for this legislation. The opponents were a mere handful.

The second reading was carried on the voices. The bill was taken into committee pro forma, and progress reported.

PUBLIC WORKS BILLS.

The following bills were read a first time:—West Maitland Sewerage, Port Kembla, Tamworth Sewerage, Broadmeadows to Waratah Tramway, Southern Railway Improvement, and Newcastle Breakwater Bills. It was agreed that the standing orders be suspended, to enable these bills to pass all stages on the following day.

The House adjourned at 10.30 p.m., till 2 p.m., to-day.



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COMING SHOWS.
Scottish Terrier Club, N.S.W., January 1.
Australian Scotch Collie Club, January 1.
Royal Agricultural, N.S.W., March.

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.
H. M. (Wollongong).—The letter you refer to did not come to hand.
E. C. B. (Paddington).—Remove the loose teeth with the thumb and forefinger. Give the pup a hard biscuit or beef bone.
Novice (Manly).—Sprinkle turps or kerosene in and around the sleeping-box.

NOTES.

The Ladies' Kennel Club, like most of the other clubs, has been quiet lately. Business in connection with the annual meeting will shortly be dealt with. It is likely that this meeting will merge into a social gathering after the routine business has been transacted.

The schedules of the New Year's Day shows of the Scottish Terrier Club, and of the Australian Scotch Collie Club will shortly be available.

Madame Melba has promised the Australian Ladies' Kennel Club a valuable cup for the best team of any breed exhibited at the club's shows. As this trophy must be won four times by the same owner it is not likely to be won outright for a number of years.

The Queensland Kennel Club held a parade of dogs recently. A fair entry was received. In the bulldog section, Mr. C. Leu's Lord Noddy won chief honours, defeating the Sydney-bred Calder Monocrat.

At this time of the year dogs that are exercised in paddocks or parks often get grass seeds stuck in the pad of the foot. If these are not extracted at once severe lameness follows. If the pad is swollen a bread poultice and a day or two's rest will soon effect a cure.

Mr. R. Cookson, owner of Lord Shackleton and other good Yorkshire terriers, returned lately from a trip to England. He brought back with him a Yorkshire bitch and three puppies, which are now in Sydney quarantine.

Four weeks have elapsed since the conference convened by the Kennel Club was held. It was then understood that the club would formulate a scheme and forward it to the Specialist and other clubs for consideration. So far no intimation has been sent out of the Kennel Club's intentions, although that club has since held several committee meetings. The conference adjourned for six weeks, but the way things are going it looks as though the holidays will pass before another meeting is held.

The Sydney Silky Yorkshire and Australian Terrier Club met last Thursday at the Ladies' Kennel Club room. Business was mostly of a formal nature. Matters connected with the Royal Show were also discussed.

An Adelaide fancier is importing a Scottish dog, which is said to be a prominent winner in England.

The bulldog Tommy Busns is well known all over Australia. Recently this champion, when hunting rabbits in the hills at Mount Lofty, S.A., got caught in a fox trap. The dog was in the trap for five hours, but, fortunately, no bones were broken, and beyond a swollen foot he is none the worse for the mishap.

A suggestion has been made that when a famous champion dog dies its body should be stuffed and preserved for memory's sake, and as a means of education to breeders.

The great Danes imported by Mr. H. E. D'Estree, of Melbourne, are the brindle bitch Becky, who has won first prizes in puppy and maiden classes at the Crystal Palace, and a young brindle puppy named Tanquin Mutter.

Mr. H. Maunder, of Wollongong, forwards copies of correspondence connected with the judging of pointer bitches at the Ladies' Kennel Club show. It appears that Mr. Maunder's Scotch Lassie was the actual winner, but that owing to a mix up of the ring numbers the win was credited in the judge's book to another bitch. Mrs. Griffin, hon. secretary of the Ladies' Kennel Club, states that she has seen the judge and that Scotch Lassie has now been registered as the first prize winner.

"M." writes:—"I am giving up my dogs, as the way things are at present there is no encouragement to keep them. There is too much bickering and squabbling amongst the clubs."

The English Kennel Club's annual show is always patronised by royal and titled exhibitors. Queen Alexandra was successful with Basset hounds and Samoyedes, and the Prince of Wales scored with Welsh terriers, bred in his own kennels. Among the judges were the Duchess of Newcastle and six other ladies. The Kennel Club cup, for the best dog in the show, went to Mr. H. Welch's greyhound Honors Easy.

Mrs. Mary Thomson, Victoria's veteran bulldog exhibitor, breeder, and importer, is now on a visit to Adelaide.

Mr. A. F. Nash, of bulldog fame, has returned to Adelaide after a long stay in England.

Mr. J. A. Dickson, of Canley Vale, reports that he has a young deerhound dog coming out from England from Mrs. S. Armstrong's famous deerhound kennels, Newcastle on Tyne. The dog's name is Glenlyon of Abbotsford. He is 18 months old, 32in high, dark grey, brindle in colour, has an extra long head, very dark eyes, powerful neck, and grand legs and feet. He has won a large number of prizes, including three seconds at the late Crystal Palace show. His sire is by ch Rob Roy of Abbotsford, who is by The Abbott ex Arme of Greigbell, and his dam is ch Roebuck Duchess, who has just now won the cup for the deerhound bitch winning the greatest number of points during the year 1912. Mrs. Armstrong has sent Mr. Dickson a number of photographs of her best dogs, including ch Roderick of A., ch Rob Roy of A., Roswal of A., ch Fair Maid of Perth, ch Talisman, ch Roseline of A., ch Roebuck Duchess, and a group of the deerhounds, eight in number, exhibited at Shrewsbury show, 1912.

TREASURY RETURNS.

BRISBANE, Tuesday.

The revenue of Queensland for November was £431,427, an increase as compared with the corresponding month of last year of £34,859.

THE TRAMWAY CASE.

POLICE INSPECTOR CONVICTED.

The Newtown-road tram case, which has been occupying the attention of Mr. Wilkinson, D.S.M., for a considerable time, was finished at the Water Police Court yesterday afternoon. The case involved a series of cross-summonses, in which Sub-inspector A. F. Davis was proceeded against for assaulting James H. Clifton, a tram motorman, and remaining on the platform of a car after being asked to leave it; then again, Sub-inspector Davis proceeded against the tram-driver for using insulting language to him, and also for assault; whilst Davis also proceeded against Alfred James Gaston, a civilian, for using insulting language, and on a complaint of assault.

Sub-inspector Davis was recalled, and said he had been 27 years in the police force. For twelve years he was Police Prosecutor at the Central Police Court. Witness denied that he had walked round the front of the car, and boarded it. He boarded the tram from the right-hand side, going towards Newtown. He said he would not leave the car until he got Gaston's name and address, as the latter had been using offensive and insulting language to him.

After hearing further evidence the magistrate convicted Inspector Davis on the complaint of remaining on the tramway platform after being asked to leave it, and imposed a fine of 10s, with 6s costs, and 4s expenses. The cases against Alfred James Gaston of assault and of using insulting words were dismissed, and Sub-inspector Davis was ordered to pay him £1 12s for costs, in default two months' imprisonment. The cases of using insulting words and assaulting a police officer, against James H. Clifton, were dismissed. In the summons in which the sub-inspector was proceeded against for assaulting a tramway employee, the Bench held that the assault, if any, was of so trifling a nature as not to call for punishment. The case was therefore dismissed.

WHEN YOUR HUSBAND HAS TO DO THIS.

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Have you read Rider Haggard's tale of South Africa in PEARS' ANNUAL, 1912?
Agents for Australia: GORDON and GOTCH.—Advt.

BIRTHS.

BETTS (nee Whitten).—November 30, at Darlinghurst, Bennett's-road, Five Dock, to Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Betts—a daughter (Daphne Millicent).

CARTER.—November 23, at Nurse Law's, 36 Lodge-street, Forest Lodge, to Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Carter—a daughter.

DOUGLASS.—November 25, at Minnont, Ramsay-road, Haberfield, to Mr. and Mrs. Douglass—a son.

EAGAR.—November 12, at Sunbury, Darley-road, Manly, the wife of F. W. A. Eagar—a daughter.

LIGHTFOOT.—November 4, at 31 Holt-avenue, Mosman, the wife of S. H. Lightfoot, Windaella, Gunning—a son.

MACKENZIE.—October 31, at Kulangsu, Amoy, South China, the wife of H. Sutherland Mackenzie—a daughter.

PUDDICOMBE.—November 21, 1912, at Nurse Whiting's Private Hospital, Coolada, Neutral Bay, the wife of Mr. H. A. N. Puddicombe, Nelson, Neutral Bay—a son.

SHELDON.—November 28, Olgate, Fernhill-street, Hurlstone Park, to Mr. and Mrs. John Sheldon—a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

HODGES—O'BRIEN.—October 5, 1912, at Glebe-road Methodist Church, by Rev. David C. Hughes, William Edward, youngest son of the late Stephen Hodges, East Somerset, Croydon-road, Hurstville, to Edith Annie (Nance), second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. O'Brien, of Forest Gate, Hurstville.

POTTER—BLYTH.—November 16, 1912, at St. Paul's Church, Kogarah, by the Rev. H. R. Wilson, Charles Potter, of Carlton, to Amy Blyth, niece and adopted daughter of Mrs. J. C. Low.

READ—DOCKER.—November 7, 1912, at St. Anne's Church, Strathfield, by the Rev. H. J. Rose, James Norman, second son of Dr. and Mrs. Richard Read, Coolatah, Wahroonga, to Isabel Matilda, third daughter of Mrs. J. F. Docker, Meyrick, Homebush.

PEARL WEDDINGS.

WHITE—HAROLD.—December 4, 1882, at Methodist Church, Lithgow, by the Rev. P. S. Young, Samuel Robert, second son of Robert White, Frome, Somerset, England, to Elizabeth, third daughter of James Harold, of Lithgow, N.S.W. Present address: 110 Union-street, Newtown.

DEATHS.

BROWN.—December 2, 1912, Sarah Ann, beloved mother of Ernest Walker, Mabel Alice, and Mrs. L. Pulli, and Mrs. E. W. C. Younghusband, in her 54th year. Interment 4th December. Peace, perfect peace.

CRAWFORD.—November 30, at Braemar, Private Hospital, Narrabri, Archibald P. J. Crawford, son of late Alex. Crawford, late of Blairmore, Boggabri, in his 30th year.

DAVIES.—At her late residence, Cwm-Avon, 78 Great Buckingham-street, Redfern, Ellen Davies, dearly beloved wife of David Davies, aged 63 years.

GOULSTON.—December 3, 1912, at Sydney Hospital, Kaufmann Goulston, aged 63. Mignon at Mrs. Samuels', 166 Castlereagh-street, this night only, at 8 o'clock.

JAMIESON.—December 3, 1912, at his residence, Haroldene, 47 Fraser-road, Lewisham, John Cockfield, dearly-loved husband of Rose A. Jamieson, aged 58 years.

MACKENZIE.—December 2, 1912, at her late residence, Kenilworth, 24 Cowles-road, Mosman, Catherine, daughter of the late Rev. Duncan Mackenzie, M.A., Victoria.

MATTERSON.—December 2, 1912, at Lewisham Private Hospital, Gertrude Veronica, aged 8 years. Dearly-loved youngest daughter of Joseph and Sarah Matterson, of St. Ives, Toothill-street, Lewisham. R.I.P.

MATTHEWS.—November 30, 1912, at Rosebank, Kiama, Mary Matthews, aged 61 years.

MAY.—December 1, 1912, at Burradoo, Archibald G., dearly loved son of H. May, aged 19 years.

MYERS.—November 29, at St. Lawrence, Nurse Griffiths' Private Hospital, Chatswood, suddenly, of apoplexy, Ada, widow of Mark Myers, and beloved daughter of Herman Abrahams, of Valetta, Marshall-street, Stanmore.

PAYER.—December 2, at Club-chambers, 96 Phillip-street, Sydney, Matthew Payer, aged 72 years. R.I.P.

PILE.—December 3, at his late residence, Carnwath, The Avenue, Ashfield, George Pile, of this city.

PRITCHARD.—December 3, 1912, at his parents' residence, Elanora, High-street, North Sydney, Walter Henry, beloved infant son of Harry and Florence Pritchard.

RYAN.—November 29, 1912, at Mittagong, Mary Jane, dearly beloved wife of John Ryan, and eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. M'Donald, Pyree, Shoalhaven, aged 48 years.

SMITH.—December 3, at Sydney Hospital, George Thompson, formerly of Melbourne, the beloved husband of Violet Smith and fourth son of Mrs. J. P. Smith, of the Boulevard, Lewisham.

WILLIAMS.—December 2, 1912, at her residence, Winston, 22 Glenmore-road, Paddington, Ann, widow of the late John P. Williams, and beloved mother of Alice, David, and Percy Williams, aged 74 years.

WOTTEN.—December 2, 1912, at Cambridge, Floss-street, Hurlstone Park, Sidney Frank, dearly-loved infant son of Sidney and Elizabeth Wotten, aged 11 months and 2 weeks.

WINDEYER.—December 2, 1912, at her residence, Tomago, Hunter River, Mary Elizabeth, widow of the late Sir William Windeyer, aged 76 years.

IN MEMORIAM.

AYLIFFE.—In sad and loving memory of my dear husband and father, Joseph, who departed this life December 4, 1905. Inserted by his loving wife and daughter, Maria and Kitty Ayliff. Gone, but not forgotten.

BURTON.—In loving memory of my beloved wife, Ellen Burton, who departed this life on 4th December, 1909. R.I.P.

CHILDS.—In loving remembrance of my dear wife and our dear mother, Emma, who departed this life December 4, 1910, aged 50 years 11 months. Inserted by her loving husband, Thos., and family.

COLLINS.—In sad and loving memory of our dear mother, Elizabeth H. Collins, late of 22 Ferry-road, Glebe Point, died December 4, 1903, aged 62 years. Never forgotten by her loving daughters, Maggie and Kitty.

HARVEY.—In sad and loving memory of dear little Reggie, who departed this life December 4th, 1911.

A little sufferer gone to rest,
And freed from every care,
By angels' hands to heaven conveyed,
To rest for ever there.

Inserted by his loving parents, M. and R. Harvey.

HASSAN.—In loving memory of Mary Ann Hassan, who departed this life December 4, 1905. Inserted by her loving mother, sister, and brothers.

HOFFMAN.—In loving memory of my dear mother, Ellen Jane Hoffman, who departed this life, December 3, 1911. Peace, perfect peace. Inserted by her loving daughter and son-in-law, W. and L. Rees.

HUGHES.—In sad and loving memory of our darling Jack, who was killed by a taxi cab in William-street, December 4, 1911, aged 8½ years.

Our little treasure,
Our little joy,
Our little sunbeam,
Our darling boy.

Inserted by his sorrowing parents.

HUGHES.—In sad but loving memory of our dearly loved daughter, Margaret Eileen, who departed this life on December 4, 1910, at Cronulla, Seaview street, Ashfield, aged 3 years.

Little we thought we would lose you so soon,
Little loved darling, just in your bloom.
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Eileen, our darling, your sweet little face [illegible]

Inserted by her loving parents, William and Mary Hughes, Bennie Dean, Richmond-street, Croydon.

HUGHES.—In sad but loving memory of our dearly loved sister, Eileen, who departed this life on December 4, 1910, at Cronulla, Seaview-street, Ashfield, aged 3 years.

Oh, why was she taken, so young and so fair,
When earth held so many it could better spare?
Hard was the blow that compelled us to part
With our Eileen, so near and so dear to our hearts.

Inserted by her fond sister and brothers, Ethel, Tom, Rob, Roy, and Ronnie.

HUGHES.—In loving memory of our darling little playmate, Jackie, who was killed by a motor car on December 4, 1911. Inserted by his little playmates, Jessie and Elsie Brown.

JACKSON.—In memory of our dear son and brother, Arthur William, who died December 3rd, 1910, aged 3 weeks.

And Jesus called a little child.

Inserted by his mother and father, brothers and sister, Edward, Nita, and Jim.

LEWIS.—In sad and ever-loving memory of our darling baby, Jean, who passed away December 4th, 1911, aged 2 years.

The flowers we placed upon your grave,
May wither and decay,
Our loss and love of you, dear Jean,
Will never fade away.

Inserted by her loving parents, Margaret and Percy Lewis.

McAULEY.—In loving memory of my darling little son, William Theodore McAuley, who departed this life December 4, 1911, aged 8 months.

It's just twelve months to-day
Since my little darling passed away.
No tongue can tell the joy it would give
To be with my little darling to-day.

Inserted by his loving mother, Madeline McAuley.

M'CULLEA.—In affectionate remembrance of Patrick M'Cullea, who departed this life December 4, 1908. Inserted by his affectionate sons and daughter-in-law.

MORRISON.—In fond and loving memory of my dearly beloved husband, James Morrison, who departed this life December 4, 1911, aged 70. Inserted by his loving wife, Mary Morrison. A day's march nearer home.

OGILVIE.—In loving memory of our dear mother, Anna Maria, who departed this life, December 4, 1909, aged 70 years. Gone, but not forgotten. Inserted by her loving daughters.

ORMSBY.—In sad but loving memory of our dear son and brother, Gore Leslie Ormsby, who was killed on the railway while in the execution of his duty, at Honeysuckle Point, Newcastle, on December 4, 1901. Inserted by his sorrowing parents, brothers, and sisters.

POWELL.—In fond remembrance of my dear friend, [illegible] Kathleen.

SLATER.—In sad and loving memory of our dear mother, Margaret Slater, who died at Fredbert-street, Leichhardt, Sydney, on December 4th, 1908, aged 81 years. Inserted by her sorrowing son and daughter-in-law (Mr. and Mrs. Joe Slater), also grandchild (Mavis). R.I.P.

RETURN THANKS.

Mr. and Mrs. STEPHEN COVELL and FAMILY, of Gordon, desire to return sincere THANKS to the many kind friends for their expressions of sympathy, letters, cards, telegrams, and floral tributes in their recent sad bereavement, and especially to the doctors, sister, and nurses of the Carey Ward, Royal North Shore Hospital, for their kind attention to their deceased son and brother during his illness.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. STANLEY, of 6 Marrickville-road, Sydenham, wish to return their sincere thanks to the many kind friends for floral tributes, messages, of sympathy, and other acts of kindness in their late sad bereavement, also to pupils of Tempe School.

Mr. C. ANDREWS and FAMILY, of 11 Llewellyn-street, Marrickville, desire to return THANKS to relatives and friends for letters of sympathy, cards, and floral tributes in their late sad bereavement.

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TEMPER OF THE GOVERNMENT.

Several things point to a condition of disruption in the State Ministerial ranks, which may have important results sooner or later. Mr. Beeby's state of mind is well known, and no one will be surprised if his resignation is sent in immediately the session is over. The Minister for Lands, however, represents something more than a growing dissatisfaction with the caucus and a decided objection to the readiness of the State Labour party to surrender everything to the Commonwealth. He stands, we fancy, for rebellion against machine politics; because there is now no probability of his receiving endorsement again as a Labour candidate. The central executive of the Political Labour League, of course, knows nothing—it certainly will acknowledge nothing—about a mind made up; but it does not require a placard or even a type-written communication signed by prominent Labour officials to place Mr. Beeby's position beyond doubt. If he does not leave the Labour party it will leave him, and the Minister is too astute a man to wait for the definite order to stand down. Presumably he will resign his seat when he resigns his portfolio, and a by-election will then add something to the interest of the new year. But it would be of interest meanwhile to know what his fellow Ministers think of the possibilities. Mr. Holman is credited with having the Agent-Generalship in his pocket, and with being determined to start for London before the Labour Conference sits in January. If the Cabinet loses both Mr. Beeby and Mr. Holman, and if two by-elections ultimately should give something more of the surprise contained in the recent city elections, the Government may easily find itself in a minority, and the restfulness of recess will be correspondingly disturbed. These are points to keep in mind when watching the progress of business in Parliament, and the relation of Ministers to one another. We see the Minister for Works apparently in control with Mr. Holman away, and instead of the Houses rising for good last night they are to hammer away to-day, and perhaps the session will end to-night. Nobody seems to know or care. Each Minister is a law to himself, and in the anxieties of these closing hours the Ministerial temper is naturally going to pieces.

In the Legislative Council yesterday Mr. Flowers showed unmistakably how the strain is telling upon Ministers. He had moved and carried the second reading of the Shearers and Agricultural Labourers' Accommodation Bill; but when amendments were being taken and adopted in the committee stage, he moved the Chairman out of the chair. In something like a fit of vexation he declared that it would be useless to go on. The temper of the Council, so he insisted, was hostile, although it had accepted the second reading of the bill. Mr. Kater very naturally objected to this imputation of unfairness. He rightly maintained that there had been no display of hostility; and he challenged the Minister to show that either Mr. Ashton or himself had indicated an intention of moving amendments to the bill. But the whole thing was interesting as showing how the Government looks upon legislation even at the end of the session. Torn and distracted by dissension, it still wants to appear to be doing something helpful for the Labour platform, and yet it cannot see that Parliament to be true to itself must consider and amend. There was, no doubt, a considerable amount of pose in the sudden shutting down in committee on this bill, because it may now be pleaded before the country that the Upper House has robbed shearers and agricultural labourers of their rights. We can imagine Ministers, and their supporters, when the time comes passionately charging the Legislative Council with all the sins in the Labour decalogue for the way it has dealt with various Government measures this session; but the proper way to meet alleged obstruction is to appeal to the country without delay. Redistribution was passed yesterday almost as fast as the word could be uttered, and the road is assuredly open enough if Ministers are ready. But they are not ready, and nothing short of a political earthquake will move them. In the meantime we need not be surprised if Mr. Beeby begins to make speeches about his experiences during recess, if and when he resigns, and Ministerial temper should then prove a very wonderful thing.

THE SUGAR COMMISSION.

We publish elsewhere a forecast of the main recommendations of the Sugar Commission. The full text of the report, with the reasons assigned by the Commission for its proposals, must be awaited before any considered judgment can be pronounced upon them. It is, however, satisfactory that the commission has come to an end to its labours after deliberations extending over a period of nearly a year. The people of Australia have for some time contributed a subsidy estimated at one million pounds to the sugar industry of the Commonwealth. In furtherance of their determination to preserve the industries of Australia for white men they have consented to pay higher prices for one of the necessaries of life. The present position is that there is a Customs duty of £6 per ton on all cane sugar imported into and consumed in Australia, an excise duty of £4 per ton on all sugar produced and consumed in the Commonwealth, and a bounty of £3 per ton on sugar produced by white labour working under authorised standard conditions of employment. The net result is that the sugar industry enjoys a protection of £5 per ton, or, if the difference between the incidence of the excise and bounty be taken into account, of about £5 5s. But the growers have complained that the increased cost of labour demanded by the Federal Government, and other factors, have prevented them from reaping the advantage of the present system. The commission is reported to follow the demands of the growers in recommending the abolition of both the bounty and the excise, and pending the abolition the equalisation of the bounty and the excise. This will give the growers a protection of £6 per ton, instead of the existing standard. The abolition of the sugar bounty has been urged for some considerable time as operating to the advantage of one section only of the persons engaged in the sugar industry (i.e., the growers), as making for possible political patronage, and as providing an artificial stimulus which could be furnished by more salutary means.

With the view to standardising the price of sugar throughout the Commonwealth the commission is stated to have recommended the fluctuation of the Customs duty in accordance with foreign market prices, and the fixing of a sliding scale by the Inter-state Commission, varying in proportion to the selling price of refined sugar. This will necessitate an amendment of the Constitution, such as is sought by the bills now before the Federal Parliament. The practicability of these suggestions will have to be tested. They are, of course, already partly in operation, and if they are found to be effective the price of sugar should be materially reduced, and greater stability should accrue to the industry generally. The subject of improved industrial conditions has also been discussed by the commission. The abolition of the bounty would make it necessary that some new machinery should be set up for fixing the conditions of labour in the sugar fields. Various methods by which the States and the Commonwealth can take action in the matter are mentioned, and the commission would appear to have entered upon this portion of its labours with some thoroughness. The future of the Colonial Sugar Refining Company has been awaited with much anxiety in view of the declared intention of the Federal Government to nationalise the undertaking if the necessary powers are obtained by the forthcoming referendums. Whatever view may be taken of its actions, the company will always stand as a monument to the enterprise and successful management of Australian commercial men. It is therefore of interest to note that the commission is reported to have declared against nationalisation and State competition on several grounds. It is said to favour the regulation of prices as a more practicable alternative. The proposals with regard to allied industries, the recommendation with regard to beet sugar (the duty on which is to be equal to the duty on cane), and other portions of the report will demand close scrutiny. It is clear that the commissioners have given to their labours the attention and thought which their position and the subject demanded of them. Their report will at all events, form an important economic document of the utmost value to the Government, who now have the advantage of expert guidance in framing a policy to place before Parliament and the country.

REDISTRIBUTION.

One of the most satisfactory features of an unsatisfactory session is the adoption of the report of the Redistribution of Seats Commission. Manifest and great inequalities had grown up in the electorates, and it was essential that they should be removed before another general election was held. Indeed, early in the session there was a perilous moment when the Government declared that it only remained alive for the sake of putting this matter through, and that once it was settled Parliament should go to the country. Circumstances altered, and all the talk about an early dissolution vanished into thin air. Still the Government deserves some credit for at last redeeming its promise, and the Opposition seems to have recognised this, for the report was adopted, with the unanimous approval of the House. As a matter of constitutional practice, Parliament should dissolve as soon as such a scheme is carried, if only because members may be representing electorates that have ceased to exist. Moreover, a very curious state of affairs emerges in the event of there having to be by-elections to the old Parliament. Are such elections to preserve the status quo ante, or are they to come under the redistribution scheme? The dilemma is obvious, and whichever course is taken only a faulty representation can be secured. No doubt everything will right itself once the general elections are held, but in the meanwhile we must expect to see many anomalies cropping up. However, in a transition of this sort anomalies and delays are perhaps unavoidable, and the Government should be given credit for its good intentions, and treated with a fair amount of consideration while new rolls are being prepared, and the electoral machinery in general got into working order. It is, therefore, very likely that no appeal to the country will be made immediately, unless some political tragedy should happen. But, at any rate, the work will have been done, and even if the recess is unduly prolonged—as seems likely—the redistribution in the long run must help the sins of the Government to come home to roost.

Meanwhile everyone seems satisfied with the way the work has been done, though no doubt it bears rather hardly on several members, who will find important blocks of supporters cut away from them. But trouble of that sort is inevitable, and provided the redistribution is carried out on non-political lines—as it has been in this case—the trouble is as likely to affect one side as the other. Indeed, this is just what has happened, and if anything the redistribution will tend to help Liberalism more than it helps Labour. It is, of course, rather hard for a good member to find a sort of permanent majority suddenly snatched away from him, but the only safe course is to avoid any sentimental feeling of that kind, and divide up the electorates in the most scientific manner that can be devised. Conditions are sure to right themselves, but bad electoral machinery is always wrong. Everyone seems to agree that the present redistribution has been accomplished as fairly as was possible. No cast-iron rule can be laid down; for to divide the country into squares, each containing an equal quota, would soon land us in the grossest of absurdities. The Electoral Commissioners did not attempt anything of the kind; but fortunately they were quite above anything like political influence, and they have discharged an ungrateful task in a way which Parliament ought to appreciate. As far as possible the electorates have been changed only to a slight extent; but a dozen and more have had to undergo drastic operations, and their sitting members probably have no great opinion of the electoral surgery displayed by the commissioners. A number of country seats disappear altogether, which is decidedly the reverse of comforting to the politicians concerned. Their place is taken by a less number of new electorates, the metropolitan area, of course, gaining the difference between the old and new distribution. About five seats have thus slipped from the grasp of country members. This is a result that we may reasonably regret, but there does not seem to be any way of avoiding it. For the rest the redistribution does not seem likely to have any very serious effect on the balance of power, and members will no doubt soon fit themselves into the new conditions.

IMMIGRATION.

Neither the immigration policy of the Commonwealth Government nor that of the Government of this State shows any sign of becoming what it ought to be. As to New South Wales, indeed, the tendency appears to be towards a more and more rigid attitude. It is obvious that the Government is determined to do as little as may be in the matter. Sometimes it says so in as many words; sometimes its silence on the point is as eloquent as Lord Burleigh's nod. It is for the people of this country to remember that the greatest problem confronting Australia, a problem compared with which every other Australian problem is a small thing, is being consistently shirked by Labour. There can be no interest more vital to the future of this country than the population interest. It is already a matter of grave foreboding. It is destined to become the only interest worth while. Governments, nevertheless, play with it, and put it by. Worse than that, they sometimes become an actively antagonistic influence—as may be seen from a letter in this issue. And side by side with these many manifestations of what the Government does not want in the matter of immigrants it maintains one capable organisation here, and another in London, and it is constantly to be found presenting itself on this or that detail of an establishment whose extent and range of work as compared with its results suggest irresistibly the fable of the mountain and the mouse.

It is quite clear that there will soon have to be an agreement between the authorities here and in England as to the basis of emigration. If the Governments of Australia persist in restricting their activities in the matter of male immigrants to the British agriculturist class, sooner or later they will be met by the rapidly growing conviction in England that that is precisely the class whose emigration England must discourage. The drain upon the old country's resources is becoming serious. Certainly Australia's part in it is nothing like Canada's, but Australia will have to share in the embargo upon it that is now shaping into expression. Two years ago Mr. John Burns emphatically told the Imperial Conference that there was a limit to England's capacity to supply the Empire with bone and sinew. Since then that limit has been more nearly reached. The Dominions Royal Commission has been taking evidence on the subject for some time past. A deputation from the Royal Colonial Institute has advocated a strong central authority for supervision of the whole question, and the emigration of children. Mr. Jesse Collings, an opponent of the present excessive emigration from Great Britain, condemns the system all round. Numerous emigration agencies work for its continuance and its expansion. From out this clouded confusion two or three things loom clearly. One is that the immigration of young people must soon be considered seriously. Another is that there are hundreds of thousands of people now available as immigrants to Australia, and would be here if only the Government's organisation were at all matched by its enthusiasm. And another is that the country will need to be roused presently to the consistent feebleness of Labour's attempt to assure to Australia its most effective asset, and the only thing that will be of any service to us in the day when we have to prove possession of this country, not by political eloquence, but by men of the soldier age.

THE BRITISH TENNIS TEAM.

Lately the people of Sydney have been thinking and talking tennis to the exclusion of most other less exciting topics, and the arrival among us of the British team, crowned with the laurels of its Melbourne triumph, has added fuel to the fire of anticipation. It is indeed an event of more than ordinary interest for various reasons. Before now British players have visited our shores, and acquitted themselves valiantly, but never have we had occasion to welcome a representative British team. Still less have we been able to welcome a team which has just won the blue ribbon of the tennis world. The fact of its coming has for some months past aroused expectation, but the circumstances of its coming have lent its visit redoubled interest. In New South Wales we professed to keep an open mind upon the issue of the Davis Cup match, but in our heart of hearts it must be admitted that we thought our chances excellent. On paper they were certainly favourable, although the event has proved different, and we realise now that we have to try our steel against an opponent far more formidable than we at first imagined. It is a matter for regret that we were not represented in Melbourne, although for this we have no one but ourselves to blame. It remains now for our men to see what showing they can make against a team which has just proved itself champion of the world.

It may be thought presumption for this State to enter the lists against Mr. Dixon's team, and the result of the match may be thought a foregone conclusion. Mr. Dixon himself will bear us out in saying that such is by no means the case. On paper, no doubt, the British are our superiors, but paper has within the last few days proved an untrustworthy guide, and no one knows what reversals of fortune chance may bring. We do not promise to win, but we can promise Mr. Dixon that we shall make a strenuous bid for victory, and we hope that we can at least promise him a hard-fought game. Incidentally, even though we meet our Pavia next Saturday, the match will provide an invaluable stimulus to tennis in New South Wales, who, though the mother State, has of late years allowed her juniors to leave her behind in this branch of athletics. Altogether it is with the utmost cordiality that we welcome Mr. Dixon and his team. They have already shown us that both on the field and off they are most worthy representatives of their country. They have shown in their keenness and the goodwill of their rivalry that they possess those traditions which have made British sportsmanship a term to conjure with the wide world over. They have also shown another quality rarely met with. It is not particularly hard to be a good loser; it is extremely difficult to be a good winner, and the manner in which the British team has taken its victory must strike everyone as admirable. There was neither any hint of boastfulness, nor yet any of that pride which apes humility. We should ourselves prefer to win next Saturday, but if that is impossible there is no one to whom we would rather lose. Hitherto Mr. Dixon and his men have only met a few of us. Next Saturday he will find that he has a wide and enthusiastic, if less intimate, circle of friends.

The "Sydney Mail."—In this week's "Mail" there is a notable article by Mr. Joseph Cook, M.P., on "The Referendum and the Man on the Land." He shows that the Government proposals involve for the man on the land "a further and more irritating series of dual regulations (labour and otherwise) for his industry, greater cost of production, and a less price for his product; the definite fixation of that price by Government agency; increased taxation to meet the nationalising experiments proposed to be undertaken; and quite possibly the ultimate loss of his industry altogether." Tennis enthusiasts will be interested in some fine snapshots of the play in the Davis Cup competition and a chatty article from the pen of an expert who saw every stroke in the contest. A Parliamentary reporter's impressions of a night in the New South Wales Legislative Assembly makes interesting reading. The article is accompanied by portraits of Messrs. Wood, Cohen, and Fitzpatrick. A couple of striking panoramic views represent Sydney as seen from Darling Harbour, and the Royal Military College at Duntroon. Melbourne's water supply is the subject of an illustrated article. It deals especially with the O'Shannessy scheme, which, according to experts, makes provision for the city's needs a hundred years ahead. A number of excellent sectional views include photographs of the Pass at Byron Bay, the Gorge on the Upper Clarence, and the winding South Coast road at Bulli, with a picture of the township. The Drama page includes an illustrated interview with Mr. Julius Knight; and on the Library page there is a notice of the newly-published book on Adam Lindsay Gordon and his friends in England and Australia. "Outdoor Australia" is, as usual, full of interest; there is a good turf budget, and, among other attractive features, is a well-illustrated article on the subject of irrigation in the Goulburn Valley, Victoria.

Premiers' Conference.—The Premier has received communications from the other States referring to a conference of Premiers proposed to be held at the beginning of next year. Mr. M'Gowen says that he has been notified of a number of matters that the other State Premiers desire to have discussed. The matter of the venue remains to be decided, there being two suggestions, one that it should be held at Perth (W.A.), and the other at Brisbane (Q.), and Mr. M'Gowen expects to have replies from the various Premiers stating the place that will best suit their convenience. Mr. M'Gowen shook his head when asked whether the referendum would be discussed at the conference. He said that it had been dealt with last year, when it was decided that it was advisable that the States should surrender certain powers only to the Commonwealth. Immigration is one of the subjects that will be dealt with, the object being to arrive at a uniform system. Mr. M'Gowen stated that the Minister for External Affairs, Mr. Josiah Thomas, on the occasion of his recent visit to Sydney informed him that the Federal Government would be prepared to help the States in the matter of medical inspection of immigrants arriving in Australia, with a view to preventing the introduction of undesirables.

Sugar Bounty Act.—It is stated on good authority that the Australian Sugar Producers' Association, Limited, intends testing the validity of the Sugar Bounty Act. Proceedings are to be taken under section 88 of the Judiciary Act of 1903, which was passed by the Federal Parliament for the purpose of facilitating the speedy reference to the High Court of any case where it was desired to test the constitutionality of any Federal law. The necessary memorial has been sent to the Governor-General, and a copy handed to the Federal Attorney-General.

The Lord Mayoralty.—There is no lack of candidates for the highest of civic honours, the Lord Mayoralty. Alderman Clarke, the present occupant of the chair, is strongly desirous of another term. "I believe," he said yesterday, "that the citizens generally are satisfied with my administration. I feel I am entitled to a full term, and look to the newly-elected aldermen to show their generosity by re-electing me." The general opinion seems to be that the choice will lie between Ald. A. A. C. Cocks, M.L.A., and Ald. T. H. Kelly.

Lord Mayor's Campaign.—The Lord Mayor says his policy has always been against the system of running the council on party lines. "The work of an alderman is administrative," he said yesterday, "while that of a Parliamentarian is legislative. As regards the hatpin outcry," said the Lord Mayor, "I intend to persevere in my efforts to put down dangerous nuisances of that sort. I am equally bent on having a clean city. An occupant of the chair to succeed must display backbone, or else he will be of no avail in administering the affairs of a great city like this. I think that my action has been an education to the careless citizens."

A Fired Shot.—There is an atmosphere of sedateness about a game of bowls which appeals to the milder type of sportsman. It is a kind of weekly restorative that can be indulged in with a minimum of exertion and a maximum of benefit. Cynics have been known to call it a rest cure, but if the excitement that prevailed on the Burwood green on Saturday is to be become a characteristic of the game, the description will no longer hold good. Mr. Arnott, the crack interstate player, delivered his first bowl with customary gentleness. Somebody declared they smelt fire. Anxiety for the safety of the clubhouse was immediately experienced, and a contingent of bowlers went to investigate. But it was not there the trouble lay. The smell grew pungent, and members rapidly felt their pockets for exploded matches. At last the odour of burning became so strong that a player declared there must be a conflagration in the vicinity. The mystery deepened, and the anxiety of the members increased. At length there was a cry of "Smoke!" and a member pointed to the green, and there Mr. Arnott's bowl was seen to be on fire. How this occurred could not be explained. It certainly was not due to the velocity with which it travelled over the green, because rapidity of motion is foreign to the game. But the bowl was on fire, and the solution of the mystery is now occupying the attention of the members of the bowling fraternity. Considerable envy is reported to exist among cricketers.

A Surf-Bathing Expert.—The New South Wales Swimming Association hopes to be able to arrange for Kahanamoku, the Hawaiian swimmer, to visit Australia this season, but if unsuccessful in this, at all events he will be here for next season. When he does come it is certain he will excite as much interest among surf-bathers as he will among the members of the swimming clubs, for he will give some demonstrations of surf-bathing that have never before been witnessed in Australia. When the Australian cricketers touched at Honolulu on their return from Canada, Kahanamoku and his manager did everything possible to entertain them, as an expression of appreciation of the courtesies received from the Australasian Olympic swimmers at Stockholm. In addition to giving an exhibition of his remarkable sprinting abilities, Kahanamoku performed clever surf-shooting feats, using a plank about a foot wide, and from 8 to 10 feet long. On this board the Hawaiian stood upright as he was rushed shorewards at great speed. He also stood on his head, and adopted a variety of other attitudes. Next he performed handsprings as the board shot onward—a clever trick. Mr. S. E. Gregory, captain of the Australian Eleven, states that in addition to these feats, Kahanamoku shoots along the crest of the waves at right angles.

Deserted Wives.—In referring to the matter of wife desertion, the annual report of the State Children's Relief Board, which was laid on the table of the Legislative Assembly yesterday, states that the law in this State is singularly weak in its provisions for compelling husbands and fathers to support their wives and families, and there is very little provision as to compulsion of other near relatives. "The result is that the State is driven to undertake the burden of providing for many destitute families, while relatives in a position to assist look on unconcernedly. . . . The increase in the number of deserted wives since the beginning of this form of relief is most marked, and 296 women now receive aid under the section in consequence of their husbands' desertion. This number represents a steadily-increasing proportion, and the condition of affairs is certain to endure until remedied by the introduction of suitable legislation."

Boys Quicker than Girls.—Whether girls are quicker than boys was the substance of a question put to a witness in the Industrial Court yesterday. In the matter before the Court was an appeal in connection with a brushmaking board. "Could not girls do this work just as quickly and thoroughly as boys?" a witness was asked. "No," came the answer, "because it hurts their fingers, and, besides, they do not take the interest in it that boys do." "But supposing they were given a decent wage, would not they take the necessary interest?" "You are asking a question of human nature," interposed his Honor. "What is the good of asking a question like that?"

FEDERAL SESSION.

NEED FOR VENDS.

MR. HUGHES CRITICISED.

After many days of dreary debate, the discussion on the proposed alterations in the constitution took unto itself a little more life to-day. Perhaps this was due to the fact that to-night the division on the first bill, that relating to the trade and commerce powers was to be taken, members having been warned last night by the Prime Minister to be in attendance at 10 o'clock this evening, to record their votes.

The first part of the day was taken up by Mr. M. Williams, Mr. Spence, and Mr. Bamford. Mr. Spence devoted most of his hour to the industrial part of the proposals. Mr. Bamford spent nearly all his time pleading for unification, much to the discomfort of other Labour members, who, throughout the debate, have almost pretended not to know the meaning of the word. Mr. Livingston, of South Australia, was the last speaker on the Trade and Commerce Bill, and when he resumed his seat, the adjournment of the debate was moved by the Postmaster-General, to allow the Attorney-General time to prepare his reply.

The bill dealing with corporations was next brought forward, and once more the debate became sparkling. To begin with, Mr. W. H. Irvine made a learned speech, in which he pointed out if the Government were given the powers they asked for in regard to corporations, it would mean that the Commonwealth would be able to make laws relating to libels published in newspapers owned by companies, while the States would be called upon to perform similar service in regard to papers owned by private persons. The bill before the House only touched trusts and combines in a remote way, and would prove of little value in dealing with them. Mr. Irvine was particularly severe on Mr. Hughes for his criticism of the High Court Judges for their judgment in the coal vend case. As Mr. Irvine pointed out, the Attorney-General should protect, rather than abuse, the Judges.

Mr. Cook then took Mr. Hughes in hand, and criticised his speech when moving the second reading of the bill. Mr. Cook complained that the Attorney-General had wandered far from the truth in many of his statements. For instance, Mr. Hughes said that the coal vend controlled the whole of the coal trade of New South Wales, whereas no one knew better than Mr. Hughes that there were three vends operating in New South Wales—the Northern, Southern, and Western. This fact was substantiated by Mr. Cann, who represents the western district, and when Mr. Cook got this, he asked Mr. Cann if he would dissolve the western district vend. Mr. Cann promptly answered "No." That was the feeling of all members representing coal-mining districts, said Mr. Cook. Not one of them would dare lift a finger to dissolve the vends, which were recognised as being necessary to provide a fair and reasonable wage for the miners. The vends were forced into existence by the miners themselves, and if they had their way the price of coal would be still higher. It was all very well for Mr. Hughes to make capital out of the coal vend and the shipping combine, but he had said that they were both necessary to provide fair wages for the miners and sailors.

After dinner the Attorney-General made a stirring reply to the many criticisms directed against the bill. He was in fine form, and his peroration brought a burst of applause from the public galleries.

The second reading was agreed to by 41 votes to 30, and the third reading by the same number.

THE UNIVERSITY.

NEW REGIME.

AN EARLY PROCLAMATION.

The University Bill having safely negotiated the troubled sessional waters of both Houses of Parliament has received the Royal assent—which practically means the Governor's signature—and is now law, but, under the preliminary clause, the provisions of the Act will not take effect until on and after a date to be proclaimed by the Governor in the "Gazette."

It was ascertained from Mr. Carmichael yesterday that, in order to suit the convenience of the University authorities, the proclamation would probably be made as from February 1, 1913. The Minister pointed out that the Act provided for the framing of the necessary University bylaws within two months, and for the election of the Senate within three months from the date of such proclamation. As the University is about to enter upon the long vacation, the Minister thinks it only a fair thing to delay the operation of the Act until the senate and the professorial staff have had part of their holiday. The election of the new Senate therefore will be held on or before May 1, 1913.

So much has been said and written about amendments made in the University Bill, its withdrawal and reintroduction, that it is scarcely to be wondered at that considerable haziness exists as to its real provisions. A comparison of the bill as it passed through Parliament, with the bill as originally presented, discloses that the majority of the amendments were either "verbal" or "domestic." For instance a verbal amendment was made in the alteration of the word "scholarship" to "exhibition," a "domestic" amendment by the alteration of the method of electing the representatives of the teaching staff. The original bill provided that all faculties could vote for each of four representatives, but that no faculty could furnish more than one. The amendment provides that each of four faculties will elect one representative. The main provisions of the bill—an elective senate, an increased endowment, the acceptance of the leaving certificate, the granting of 200 scholarships or exhibitions—remained intact, except for a few minor alterations.

THE NEW SENATE.

Under the bill as passed, the chancellor and the vice-chancellor are made life members, but all other senators must submit themselves for re-election—those representing the teaching staff every two years, other senators every five years. The present senate, including five of the professors, consists of 20 members, under the new conditions it will consist of 26, including the chancellor and the vice-chancellor. The Governor has the right to appoint four members, but whether these will be members of the Ministry or officers of the Department of Public Instruction is a matter for the Cabinet. They will, however, directly represent the Government upon the senate. The Legislative Assembly and the Legislative Council will each elect one representative, but a sub-section of clause 7 provides that if for any cause such election is not held, or is void, the Governor may appoint to the office. Before the House prorogues it is likely that both Chambers will be asked for a recommendation, and under the section of the bill quoted the Governor will then make the appointment.

The teaching staff at the University will be represented on the Senate by the chairman of the Professorial Board and four fellows elected by each of four faculties. In these respects the bill, as passed, agrees with the bill, as introduced. An amendment, however, increased the representatives of the graduates from seven to ten, and also made provision for three "coopted" fellows, to be elected by the aforesaid fellows. In plain English, this practically ensures the election of such distinguished senators as Sir Samuel Griffith, Sir Edmund Barton, and Sir William Cullen, without subjecting them to a contested election.

Under the old conditions only graduates of three or more years' standing were entitled to vote at convocation, but under the new Act every bachelor has a vote, whatever his graduate age, and provision is also made for voting by post. As previously stated, the election is quinquennial.

TUTORIAL CLASSES.

Provision is made for the establishment of evening "tutorial classes" in science, economics, ancient and modern history, and sociology, and probably no feature of the new bill is so little understood. To many minds the clause simply provides for evening classes for undergraduates; to others it is merely another name for university extension lectures. In effect, it is neither. The lecturer becomes actually a tutor, and, instead of the dilettantism that frequently marks university extension lectures, each student will have a fixed purpose and a continuity of effort. For instance, a student, while he might never be able to pass the matriculation, may desire to take a course of study in ancient history. He may wish to compare the land laws of Greece and Rome with present day tenure, or he may want to study the industrial evolution of the last 50 years. Either would require a fairly long course of lectures, and the student can only afford two or three hours once or twice a week. The lecturer, however, in addition to ordinary lectures, would direct the private reading and stimulate discussion. He would expound difficulties and clear away doubts, but would be both tutor and lecturer. The student would take up one or more subjects, and pursue the study to a definite conclusion. This aspect of the case makes the inclusion of science as a tutorial subject somewhat ridiculous. The provision of science graduation classes for evening students is a totally different matter.

EXHIBITIONS.

The University Bill provides for one exhibition or scholarship for every 500 persons in the State between the ages of 17 and 20. Such exhibitions are exempt from payment of matriculation, tuition, or degree fees, and the exhibitions are tenable subject to satisfying progress and conduct. Under what is called the limitation clause, 95 per cent. of these exhibitions are to be given for competition among the secondary schools, whether State or private, provided the private schools secure registration as efficient after inspection by a State officer. These students are required to obtain a leaving certificate, showing that they have completed a four-years' course in secondary education, and have satisfactorily passed a written examination in such subjects and at such standard as the senate may determine. Five per cent. of the exhibitions are reserved to what may be called adult students, who qualify for entrance to the University by matriculation.

It is provided that for 1913 the number of exhibitions shall be limited to 100, but when the scheme is in full working order 200 will be granted annually. None will be granted this year, but the additional endowment will be paid all the same, and next year, although only 100 exhibitions will be given, the full endowment will again be paid. In fact, by the time the full weight of the scheme is thrown upon the University, it will have benefited to the extent of about £20,000.

Summed up, the University will now be free to a couple of hundred students selected annually, not on account of social position—or want of it—but on the broad qualification of intellectual ability; it will enter by its elective senate more into the life of the people; and it will, through its intimate connection with the schools, rightly take its place as the coping-stone of a thoroughly co-ordinated system of State education.

MILITARY WAGGONS.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

The Minister for Defence has accepted the following tenders:—For 450 general service waggons, E. H. Olding, N.S.W., at £30 [illegible] each, 150 general service waggons, [illegible] Foundry (Beenleigh, Queensland), at £88 18s each.

AT VARIANCE.

THE BALKAN ALLIES.

BELLICOSE GREECE.

POWERS ADVISE TURKEY.

TO END THE WAR.

ANGLO—GERMAN CORDIALITY.

SOFIA, Dec. 3.

It is reported that Britain, Russia, and Germany have advised Turkey to make peace.

SOFIA, Dec. 3.

If the armistice negotiations fail the blame will rest on Greece, who desires to continue the war, while the other allies favour peace.

King Ferdinand has gone to Chatalja.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 2.

It is believed that Greece insists on the surrender of Janina and Skutari, and objects to raising the blockade of the Albanian coast.

ATTITUDE OF GERMANY.

CHANCELLOR'S CANDID STATEMENT.

BERLIN, Dec. 2.

Herr von Bethmann-Hollweg, the Imperial Chancellor, stated yesterday that Germany will fight if another Power intervenes between Servia and Austria.

While Germany was not immediately affected in regard to the Balkans, she was entitled to co-operate in the reorganisation, especially in regard to the maintenance of the guarantees to Turkey's creditors. Moreover, in the regulation of many questions Germany would have to lay her word in the scale in the interests of her allies.

He added that the Powers were exchanging views in a most conciliatory spirit, and with every prospect of success, but it would only be known how the Great Powers would be affected when the Balkan allies had arranged terms of peace themselves.

Germany, he said, intended to maintain her policy of friendship towards Turkey, but would also strengthen her relations with the Balkan States, especially in the economic field.

He declared that if Germany were forced to fight on Austria's behalf the whole of the German people would be behind the Fatherland.

ANGLO-GERMAN RELATIONS.

"A GRATIFYING INTIMACY."

BERLIN, Dec. 3.

Herr von Kiderlen-Waechter, Minister for Foreign Affairs, in replying to a charge from Herr Ledebour in the Reichstag, that the Government had fomented a quarrel with Britain, said that throughout the crisis the relationship between Germany and Britain had been especially confidential and frank. The absolutely trustful exchange of views that had taken place had not only evoked a gratifying intimacy between the two nations, but had rendered good service to the understanding of the Powers. He expressed his confidence that this state of affairs would continue.

RUSSIAN PREPARATIONS.

VIENNA, Dec. 3.

The "Reichspost" states that half a million Russian troops are concentrated in Poland, and all the frontier corps are on a full war footing, while the Polish regiments have been transferred to the interior or to the Caucasus.

The paper declares that 100 Russian spies have been arrested in Galicia recently.

ADRIANOPLE.

INSPECTION FROM AEROPLANE.

LONDON, Dec. 2.

Mr. Bennet Burleigh, war correspondent of the "Daily Telegraph," telegraphing from Mustapha Pacha, says that two airmen biplaned over Adrianople, and observed that the Selim Mosque and the most important buildings in the city had not been damaged by the bombardmen.

The Turks fired a shell from a gun-pit, which just missed the aeroplane.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 3.

A wireless message from Adrianople states that the bombardment continues. One shell yesterday struck the Greek Consulate, which is occupied by the Russian Consul.

GENERAL ITEMS.

LONDON, Dec. 3.

Mr. Beaumont, one of the "Daily Telegraph" correspondents, who has just visited the Lule Burgas battlefield, states that vultures are feasting on the dead horses and oxen, and the trenches are filled with half-buried Turks.

ATHENS, Dec. 3.

Zekki Pasha, at the head of the remainder of the Monastir army, is endeavouring to junction with the Turkish army at Janina, in Epirus.

The prisoners taken at Salonika included 1000 officers. Seventy cannon, 30 machine guns, 2000 horses, and 75,000 rifles were captured.

SOFIA, Dec. 3.

The prisoners taken near Dede Agach, on the Aegean Sea, when the Turkish division surrendered to the Bulgarians there, included Mehmed Javer Pasha, the Commander-in-Chief of the Kirdjali Army Corps, and Hamdi Bey, chief of staff. A large quantity of material was captured.

SALONIKA, Dec. 2.

Thirty thousand refugees have arrived from Macedonia. The Greeks are affording them succour.

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Her Majesty's Theatre: "The Quaker Girl," 1.50, 7.50.
Theatre Royal: "Ben Hur," 1.45, 7.45.
Criterion Theatre: "Meg the Castaway," 8.
Adelphi Theatre: "What Women will do for Love," 8.
Tivoli Theatre: Vaudeville, 2.30, 8.
National Amphitheatre: Vaudeville, 2.30, 8.
The Lyceum Theatre: Spencer's Theatrescope, 2.30, 8.
Zoological Gardens: 9.30 to 5.
Lyric Theatre: Moving Pictures, 11 to 11.
The Glaciarium and Olympia, Oxford-street (West's Pictures), 8.
Colonial and Empress Theatres: Moving Pictures, 11 to 11.
Crystal Palace, George-street: 11 to 11.
Grand Picture Palace: 10.30 to 10.30.
American Picture Palace, Pitt-street: 11 to 11.
Vice-Regal Skating Rink: Rushcutter Bay.
Society of Artists: O.V. Markets, 10 to 5.
National Council of Women, General Meeting, 3.30.
Town Hall: South Sydney Hospital Fete, opening by Lord Chelmsford, 3.30.
Royal Society's General Meeting: 5 Elizabeth-st: 8.
St. James's Church, King-street: Organ Recital, 1.25.
The Stadium: Sullivan v Till, 8.30.
Ascot Races: First Race, 2.

NEW QUAY MYSTERY.

MRS. NOWILL DEAD.

BODY FOUND IN THE SEA.

LONDON, Dec. 2.

A telegram from New Quay reports the finding of the body of Mrs. Nowill.

Some fishermen discovered the body in the sea at the foot of the cliffs. They had been searching the sea-front during the nine days which had elapsed since Mrs. Nowill disappeared.

The body was much disfigured through being tossed about by the breakers.

The recovery of the remains was a most hazardous task. A coastguardsman descended a 110ft rope ladder, and caught the body as the breakers receded, and with his burden was hauled up to the top of the cliff, which he reached in an exhausted state.

Mr. Nowill and hundreds of other spectators witnessed the recovery of the body.

Mrs. Sidney Nowill, the wife of a Sheffield merchant, disappeared from a fashionable hotel at New Quay in Cornwall last week, and Mr. James Delay, a retired solicitor, after taking part in the search for her, committed suicide, when it was found that by a codicil to his will he had left Mrs. Nowill £33,000. The report that Mrs. Nowill had been discovered in Southport arose through a mistake in identity.

MARCONI AGREEMENT.

EFFECT IN COLONIES.

ADMIRALTY EXPERT'S EVIDENCE.

LONDON, Dec. 2.

At the Parliamentary Select Committee inquiry regarding the Marconi agreement for the erection of wireless stations, Captain Charlton, wireless expert to the Admiralty, gave evidence to the effect that a clause in the Marconi agreement of 1903 prevented the Admiralty communicating wireless secrets to the colonies. As the Australian navy was not fitted with the Admiralty wireless system, the position was very awkward.

Negotiations, he said, were proceeding to rescind the clause.

The witness added that the Poulson system had been tested, and found undesirable for warships.

HOME RULE BILL.

CLAUSE 26 PASSED.

LONDON, Dec. 3.

In the House of Commons last night the Home Rule Bill was further considered in committee.

On clause 26, Mr. J. F. Hope (Unionist) moved an amendment providing for the revision of the financial relations if the Irish revenue exceeded the expenditure in one year. This was negatived.

Mr. H. L. Samuel, Postmaster-General, gave notice of an amendment to enable the Irish Government to use any surplus to reduce the deficit and secure an earlier revision.

Mr. Balfour elicited a statement from the Government that if Britain imposed extra taxation for Imperial purposes Ireland would bear her share.

Clause 26 was agreed to.

A HEROIC RESCUE.

GERMAN SEAMAN'S FEAT.

MADRID, Dec. 3.

In regard to the foundering of the British steamer Barcelona in the Bay of Biscay during the recent gale, it appears that the cargo shifted, and for two days the vessel was on her beam ends, struggling with the terrific seas which early quenched her fires.

The first officer of the German steamer Cap Ortegal, in charge of the lifeboat, battled in the sea for three hours in pitchy darkness before he succeeded in rescuing the Barcelona's crew.

The Barcelona foundered at daylight.

ANTI-MILITARISM.

"AN ABOMINABLE CRIME."

PARIS, Dec. 3.

The Chamber of Deputies yesterday referred to a committee a proposal to deprive army deserters of their electoral rights.

During the debate M. Millerand denounced the Socialists and anti-militarists' campaign of inciting the troops to insubordination as "an abominable crime against the fatherland."

DISASTER AT A FUNERAL.

KILLED BY LIGHTNING.

JOHANNESBURG, Dec. 2.

During the funeral at Germanton cemetery of a man named M'Cann, who had been killed by an explosion at the Victoria Falls transforming station, a thunderstorm occurred, and a discharge of lightning struck half of the mourners to the ground.

One was killed, and sixteen were injured, five being in a serious condition.

THE LAND INQUIRY.

LONDON, Dec. 2.

In the House of Lords to-day Lord Halsbury called attention to the Land Inquiry Committee circulating a form without an imprint, and headed "Private and Confidential."

Those responsible for its circulation, he said, were apparently seeking to suggest that the form was a public document.

He suggested that the Crown law officers should institute a prosecution.

THE GLASGOW FIRE.

LONDON, Dec. 2.

The damage caused by the fire in Glasgow yesterday amounts to £60,000.

Hundreds of people have lost their employment in the warehouse of Messrs. Campbell and Co., which was the largest in Glasgow.

THE TRIPLE ALLIANCE.

BERLIN, Dec. 3.

The "Frankfurter Zeitung" reports that the Triple Alliance (Germany, Austria, and Italy) has been renewed.

COMPULSORY SERVICE.

LORD ROBERTS' CAMPAIGN.

THE AUSTRALIAN SYSTEM.

LONDON, Dec. 2.

In the House of Commons this evening Sir William Byles (advanced Radical), in view of the recent speeches delivered by Lord Roberts, asked for particulars respecting compulsory service in Australia, also whether only 40 per cent. of the boys 14 years of age had obeyed the demand for enrolment.

Col. Seely, Secretary of State for War, replied that he had placed the Commonwealth Parliamentary paper on the subject in the library of the House.

He added that he was not aware that any general resistance had been manifested against the compulsory clauses of the Australian Defence Act.

THE HALDANE-ROBERTS CONTROVERSY

LORD ROSEBERY'S VIEW.

LONDON, Dec. 3.

Lord Rosebery, in course of a speech at Bathgate last night, referred to the controversy between Viscount Haldane and Lord Roberts in regard to compulsory training, and expressed the belief that history, in dealing with this matter, would sum up that the people of Britain had turned heedless and inattentive ears to the warnings of the greatest soldier they possessed.

"A BASELESS INFERENCE."

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

The Minister for Defence said to-day that the inference to be drawn from the message that 40 per cent. of the lads, 14 years of age, were not enrolled, was baseless. As a fact, at the present time 30,000 lads in the last 14-year-old quota had registered, and there were under 8000 untraced at the end of October. This total, however, was being reduced every day as the lads were found. The registrations of those who had not come forward in the first instance amounted on the average to 1000 a month.

RAILWAY RATES.

COMPANIES WANT BILL.

LONDON, Dec. 3.

The railway companies deny the statement of Mr. A. G. Walkden, secretary of the Railway Clerks' Association of Great Britain and Ireland, to the effect that the companies had notified the Government that unless legislation was passed during the present session, enabling them to increase their rates, they would withdraw the concessions granted at the conclusion of the late strike, and leave the Government to face another national railway strike.

The companies, however, admit that they are negotiating with a view to securing the passage of an interim measure to carry out the Government's pledge in regard to the increase of rates.

AMERICA AND HER NEIGHBOURS.

A PRESIDENTIAL MESSAGE.

LONDON, Dec. 3.

President Taft, in a message to Congress, states that the relations of the country with the other Powers are satisfactory. There is a growing feeling of friendliness between the United States and the South American nations, and if the Senate had not killed the measure providing for a loans convention revolutions would not have been so frequent in these countries, as they would have been able to rehabilitate their finances with the aid of United States backing.

The message was chiefly confined to the subject of foreign relations.

GENERAL CABLE NEWS.

LONDON, Dec. 2.

Sir George Reid, High Commissioner for Australia, has communicated the invitation of the Commonwealth to the British Association for the advancement of science. Sir Charles Lucas has been specially invited, a fact which has given much satisfaction.

The House of Commons will adjourn on the 20th inst. Mr. Asquith states that it will be impossible to pass the Mental Deficiency Bill, but it will be reintroduced next session.

At the Clerkenwell Police Court to-day Annie Gross, a negress over 6ft high, was remanded on a charge of murdering Jessie Mackintosh, an Englishwoman, actress, by shooting her at a convivial party of music-hall negro artists in Bloomsbury early on Sunday morning.

Recently a confession was alleged to have been made by the widow of Frederick Seddon, an insurance agent, who was executed in April last for the murder of Miss Barrow, to the effect that he had carefully planned Miss Barrow's death, and that she had kept silence hoping he would be acquitted, and thus save her children from disgrace. As a result of the confession, Seddon's widow and her second husband have been driven out of Birkenhead.

The late Lord Furness bequeathed the sum of £30,000 in aid of training boys for the mercantile marine. His estate has been provisionally sworn at £1,000,000.

The Marquis of Salisbury has introduced in the House of Lords the Compulsory Rural Housing Bill, which provides power for the State to supply private owners with the necessary capital for building purposes, but prohibits profit-making.

Since the coal strike 30,000 miners left the South Wales Miners' Federation, and yesterday 3000 men in the Garw Valley, Glamorganshire, struck in order to force the seceders there to re-enter the federation. The ruse was successful.

The Football Association and the Football League commission of inquiry has fined Cantrell, a Tottenham Hotspur player, £50, and Nie, a trainer, £5, for attempting to induce a Notts County player to join the Hotspurs.

Severe snowstorms have swept over the North of England and Scotland. At Nairn yesterday 24 degrees of frost were recorded, and at Aberdeen 23.

The "Times" states that the movement among liberal churchmen and broadminded nonconformists against Welsh disendowment has resulted in a definite agreement that the endowments, with the exception of the tithes, shall be left to the Welsh Church. It is believed that the Government will accept an amendment in this direction.

Mr. H. L. Samuel, Postmaster-General, in reply to Mr. W. Redmond in the House of Commons last night, said he hoped to be able at an early date to announce the inauguration of a system of cheap week-end cable letters between England and Australia.

HAMBURG, Dec. 2.

A fire which occurred on the Hamburg-Amerika liner Silesia practically destroyed the cargo.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.

The Supreme Court has ordered the dissolution of the merger of the Union Pacific and the Southern Pacific railways. The suit was started in 1907, Mr. Harriman being the principal defendant. It involved the Harriman interests in the Salt Lake and Santa Fe railroads, which have been declared illegal.

The Court of Appeal has decided that Mr. Thomas Edison is not the inventor of the moving picture film. The case involved certain rights concerning the use of films that were alleged to be Edison's.

BUENOS AYRES, Dec. 3.

Lieutenant Fels, a military airman, flew over the sea from Buenos Ayres to Monte Video, about 125 miles, in 2 hours 23 minutes.

TOKIO, Dec. 3.

General Uyhara, Minister for War, has resigned, owing to the Cabinet's decision not to increase the military forces in Korea.

THE EVICTION.

COUNSEL'S OPINION TAKEN.

IMPERIAL PROPERTY ABSOLUTELY.

AN INJUNCTION SOUGHT.

With a view to testing the legality of the action of the State Government in evicting the King's representative from Federal Government House, the Citizens' Committee has taken the opinion of leading counsel.

Counsel, after a thorough investigation of the records, came to the decision that Federal Government House and grounds were the absolute property of the Imperial Government, and could not legally be diverted by the State Government to any other purpose.

It is understood that the Citizens Committee will take immediate steps for the purpose of applying to the Supreme Court for an injunction to restrain the State Government from using Federal Government House and grounds for any other purpose than that for which it was dedicated.

CHALLENGE TO THE PREMIER.

Mr. Arthur Macarthur yesterday took occasion to challenge the correctness of the Premier's latest utterance on the eviction question.

"Judging by the Premier's reply to Mr. David Storey's request for a referendum regarding the closing of Government House," said Mr. Macarthur, "Mr. M'Gowen is evidently jealous of the record for misrepresentation put up by his colleague (Mr. Holman) recently at Temora. He is reported to have made the following statement:—'I have been receiving resolutions carried by various shire councils and others protesting against the removal of the Governor-General from the Federal Government House, and I find just as many endorsing the action of the Government in the course they have pursued.'"

"Now," said Mr. Macarthur, "I wish to bind Mr. M'Gowen to this, and to openly challenge him to produce proof of the truth and correctness of this statement. This is no empty challenge, for, if Mr. M'Gowen can prove his statement, I will promise him that the Sydney Hospital funds will be augmented to any sum he is prepared to risk. Let Mr. M'Gowen even produce within 24 hours a dozen or more signed resolutions or petitions received by him from country municipalities, suburbs, or districts of any importance, upholding the Government's disloyal action. Can Mr. M'Gowen, or any member of his Ministry, find a precedent, not only for the wave of indignation that has travelled pretty well throughout New South Wales, but also the splendid enthusiasm that has prevailed at nearly all the meetings held in the city, suburbs, and country, with, perhaps, the exception of a few towns situated nearer to Victoria than Sydney? Mr. M'Gowen protests that he is as loyal as anyone, and, further, states that any member must 'do what he thinks right, and not be torn by each conflicting wind that blows.' Mr. M'Gowen must have been torn by a veritable typhoon, for until he lost all trace of any political backbone, and was satisfied to be caucus driven, he, himself, was against this eviction of the Governor-General. Not disloyal, indeed. When he more or less openly flouts the expressed wish of his Majesty the King, the Imperial Government, his Excellency the Governor-General, the Parliament of the Commonwealth, and a vast majority of the people of New South Wales. With what excuse does he and his colleagues attempt to bolster up the degrading position they find themselves in to-day? A paltry £3500 a year. But even this excuse is not valid, for it is plainly shown that it is not a matter of £ s d by their very action in shutting up Government House and leaving it to the tender mercies of moths, etc. at an extra cost of two or three thousand a year to the taxpayers of New South Wales. There was an implied contract that Government House should be the residence of the Governor-General until such time as a capital city was built. If it was not so I ask why was 'Cranbrook' bought as a residence for the State Governor?

"Contrast Victoria's action: she provides not only a Government House which has cost her people over £200,000 for the Governor-General, but a Parliament House which cost over a million pounds sterling rent free. Yet our Government House was built and paid for by the Imperial Government for a specific purpose as a residence of the King's representative years before the establishment of responsible Government in New South Wales. Not disloyal, indeed. Why, what, according to Mr. Holman, do they now contemplate doing? Holding a demonstration to gloat over their disloyalty within the very House and grounds from which the representative of the King has been recently evicted. Could anything be more indecent, more damaging to New South Wales in the eyes of the Empire who we hear from all quarters in no uncertain manner expresses disgust and astonishment. Mr. M'Gowen said yesterday: 'This matter has been torn almost to shreds.' I tell him this movement will not die until his Government is torn to atoms if it continues to disregard the wishes of the people of New South Wales. Now let him substantiate publicly his statements made in Parliament yesterday."

RECORD SWIMS.

MISS DURACK'S PERFORMANCES

Mr. A. C. W. Hill, acting hon. secretary of the Australian Swimming Union, has been notified by the International Swimming Federation that Miss Durack's application for recognition of her performance of 1m 6s for 100yds on March 16, 1912, at Coogee Aquarium Baths, has been formally passed by the federation.

At the same time her records over 300 metres (4m 43 3-5s) at Stockholm, on July 15, and over 100 metres (1m 18 1-5s) at Hamburg, on July 21, received the federation's formal endorsement. The record badges are being prepared, and will be forwarded at an early date.

The first-mentioned record is the first Australian performance to be recognised by the federation. The names of Australians figure largely on the list of world's records, but always in respect of performances in England or on the Continent of Europe. No swim established in Australia had been recognised prior to Miss Durack's.

THE GAS BILL.

MR. CARMICHAEL'S REGRET.

UNFAIR TO CONSUMERS.

Mr. Carmichael yesterday made the following statement regarding the Gas Bill conference from which he withdrew:—

"As my action was unusual, I suppose I ought to make a brief personal explanation. As already announced in the House, I do not agree with the conclusions arrived at. My whole object throughout the long and somewhat trying contest since the introduction of the Bill months ago was to get the certainty of a fair deal for the consumer—and, in my opinion, this has not been attained in the agreement arrived at by the managers of the conference.

"Certain points had been decided as essential by my Ministerial colleagues and myself, and, when after some hours discussion it became apparent that the managers appointed by the Assembly had decided to concede these and my single opposition could only result in prolonging a further discussion, I withdrew from the conference, and informed the House of my dissent. I declined to recommend the agreement to the House, and this was done by the Attorney-General." Asked as to what the essential matters were, Mr. Carmichael stated that he was not prepared to discuss them.

"This is not another of the 'splits in the Cabinet' we are constantly reading about, and it's not the starting of another 'new party,'" added Mr. Carmichael. "The House appointed 10 managers to come to an agreement. I was as much at liberty as any other to dissent when, what I considered the limit, was reached."

SHIP FIRE.

CYCLE'S CARGO ALIGHT.

At about 10 minutes past 11 o'clock last night a fire broke out in the forehold of the Howard Smith cargo steamer Cycle, lying at the company's wharf, King-street.

At the time of the outbreak the steamer was discharging her cargo, which consisted mainly of chaff and hay, and the cause of the outbreak is stated to have been the upsetting and explosion of a flare lamp.

The city and Pyrmont stations of the fire brigade turned out under Second-officer Sparkes, and several lines of hose were run into the hold, which, aided by the pumps of the vessel itself, were able to subdue the flames before they could spread to the rest of the ship.

The task of the firemen was at first rendered trying by the dense smoke. The Sydney Harbour Trust's fire-float Pluvius came on the scene later, but was not required.

The damage consisted in the destruction of about 60 tons of chaff and forage in the forehold, with damage to the rest of the cargo by water. The extent of this damage can not be ascertained till daylight, when the ship will be examined to see if it has suffered structurally.

The Cycle is a steel screw steamer of 3967 tons. She was built in 1898 by Messrs. Russell and Co., at Port Glasgow.

REDISTRIBUTION.

IMPORTANT CHANGES.

PROBABLE PARTY EFFECTS.

The new order of things ushered in by the adoption of the redistribution of seats' scheme formulated by the Electoral Commissioners, was a general topic of conversation in State political circles yesterday.

It is certain, from what can be gleaned in the lobbies, that Liberal members are in great heart, and it is generally conceded that the alteration of boundaries will favour the Opposition.

The five country seats which are to be wiped out should be at the expense mostly of the Labour party, while the similar number of suburban electorates created around Sydney will nearly all be secured by Liberals. This readjustment will be sufficient to give the Liberals a lead, going on the assumption that there has been no change in political feeling since last general election, though it is well known that the pendulum has swung back from the Labour side, and the Labour administration has estranged sympathy in many quarters.

It is anticipated that, whether the next general election be before or after the expiration of Parliament by effluxion of time, Liberalism will be in a dominant position at the polls. Mr. Wade, the Liberal leader, will have returned reinvigorated by his trip abroad, and Mr. Wood, the acting leader, whose stock has gone up considerably since he has temporarily discharged the duties of leadership, is bound to be an active figure in the fight against the Caucus.

The Yass seat, represented by Mr. Nielsen, is being wiped out, and, unless Mr. Nielsen can find another electorate, the Labour party will be without the assistance of one of their most tireless and fervid doctrinaires. Not only will the party suffer this bereavement in its front rank of speakers, but rumour is more persistent than ever that a greater loss still threatens it—that of its virtual leader, Mr. Holman. Although Mr. M'Gowen has asseverated that the Cabinet has not yet dealt with the question of sending one of its members to England to unravel the tangled skein of loan flotations, it is freely prognosticated that Mr. Holman will be despatched on this mission. Close observers of political developments have not failed to notice the special attention that the Acting Premier has been devoting to financial matters, and has, in fact, at one bound lately become the chief financial expounder for the Ministry. When Mr. Holman goes on this mission his political friends will probably bid him, not au revoir, but good-bye, as it is thought it will mean his eventual translation to the office of Agent-General in London.

Mr. Beeby is looked upon as likely to seek re-election at no distant date as an Independent Labour candidate, so that a trio of leading Labour spokesmen will thus be absent from the Labour fighting line. And it may be that other Labourites, grown weary of iron-handed methods, and disillusioned as to the benefits and advantages of the caucus as an innovation in constitutional government, may be prompted to break off its bonds and brave political fortune as Independent Labour candidates.

STREET EXPLOSION.

JEALOUS HUSBAND.

MAN SHOCKINGLY INJURED.

ADELAIDE, Tuesday.

A sudden burst of flame, accompanied by a terrific report, startled people in the neighbourhood of Flinders-street late last night. Two men were observed running away from the scene of the occurrence, and a third staggering along the footpath, crying "Murder, murder."

The last named, Frederick Keys, presented a woeful appearance. His left hand had been blown off, the side of his hip torn, and his face was more or less shattered. Until the two who had hurriedly left the scene appeared at the watchhouse the sensation was a mystery.

The statements of the men, named Cheap and Clarke, were, in effect, that Keys was madly jealous of his wife, and suspected undue familiarities between her and Cheap. Keys met them last night, and after a few words of conversation said, "Now, we'll settle it." He struck a match, and there followed almost immediately a deafening roar.

Three plugs of dynamite were found by the police soon after the report. Cheap stated, "I think he meant to blow the three of us to pieces. I regard him as a madman. It is lucky that he did not have his revolver with him, because if he had had that weapon with him, and wanted to do so, he could have put a hole right through my head. He is madly jealous of his wife. Keys never associated with me, or, for that matter, with anyone in the boarding-house when I was there. I gave him no cause to be jealous of his wife. She is a respectable woman."

This morning Keys' condition had improved, and his injuries were operated on. There is plenty of evidence that he entertained absurd suspicions regarding his wife's conduct.

NO OXYGEN.

FIRE EXTINGUISHES ITSELF.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

Peculiar circumstances were connected with the fire which occurred in a building at the corner of Bourke and William streets early this morning. The Queen's Cafe is situated in the basement of the building, and when the door of the cafe was opened by an employee at half-past 6 o'clock dense clouds of hot smoke poured out. The man at once gave the alarm, and a few minutes later 29 firemen were on the scene. There was, however, very little work for the brigade to do, as the conflagration had almost put itself out owing to the exhaustion of the oxygen in the room. It was surmised that the fire had been burning for some time by reason of the fact that a quantity of fittings had been destroyed. But for the fact that the building had been constructed on fire-resisting principles the destruction would have been infinitely greater.

DEATH OF LADY WINDEYER.

The death occurred at 11.30 last night of Lady Windeyer, widow of Sir William Charles Windeyer, Senior Puisne Judge of the Supreme Court of N.S.W., who died in 1897.

Lady Mary Elizabeth Windeyer, who had been in ill-health for some years, was a daughter of the late Rev. R. T. Bolton, and was married in 1857. She was intimately identified with many charitable movements, and her loss will be keenly felt by many whom she befriended. Lady Windeyer died in the presence of her family at her residence at Tomago, on the Hunter River, near Raymond Terrace. She was 76 years of age.

Abdulla Cigarettes, delicate and soothing. Turkish, Virginian, Egyptian. All tobacconists.—Advt.

DAVIS CUP.

BRITISH TEAM IN SYDNEY.

TENNIS IN AUSTRALIA.

MR. DIXON'S EULOGY.

Lawn tennis players and enthusiasts gathered in strong force at the Australia Hotel yesterday to welcome to Sydney the team that lifted the Davis Cup on Saturday for the British Isles, and Messrs. Charles P. Dixon (captain), James Cecil Parke, Arthur Ernest Beamish, and Francis Gordon Lowe (the fourth player), were almost overwhelmed with congratulations.

The players were afterwards entertained to lunch at the Australian Club, and during the afternoon left by motor car for the Royal Sydney Golf Club at Rose Bay, where they stay while in Sydney. In the evening they visited Her Majesty's Theatre, and witnessed the performance of "The Quaker Girl."

The president of the Australasian Lawn Tennis Association (Mr. P. B. Colquhoun) presided at the reception at the Australia Hotel, and seated near him were Messrs. Dixon, Beamish, Parke, and Lowe. Others present were Mr. Dudley Webb, Dr. Poldevin, Messrs. W. H. Forrest, a former president, Marsh, Sayers, Howe, hon. secretary of the New South Wales association, S. D. Goddard, H. Y. Braddon, H. S. Fox, C. T. Metcalfe, A. B. Jones, H. Rice, G. W. Wright, and Dunlop.

"These men have become historical," said the president upon rising to speak. "They need no introduction, and I only ask you to help me to give them the heartiest of welcomes to New South Wales. They are the first team that have come to Australasia to represent the British Isles in a Davis Cup contest, and they have accomplished a fact we have anticipated for many years. (Applause.)

Mr. Colquhoun went on to say that by reason of the visit of the British team to New South Wales aspiring local players would be given an opportunity during the matches to study styles different from their own, and he felt sure that from what he had seen in Melbourne alone their stay in Sydney would greatly benefit tennis players.

"This is Mr. Dixon," he went on, pointing to the British captain seated on his right-hand, "the most modest and retiring man I have yet come across. And this is Mr. Parke," turning to his left. "You will perhaps remember we had a man named Sir Henry Parkes, who did so well for the population of Australia. (Laughter.) Well, this is J. C. Parke, and I trust he will reproduce his game in Sydney. (Laughter.) Players who think that extraordinary methods are necessary in order to win tennis matches will be well advised to watch Mr. Parke, who has got along so nicely by relying on orthodox tactics."

The chairman concluded by saying the mother association deserved great thanks for sending out such a capital team, and such jolly good fellows. (Applause.)

Mr. Dunlop, in supporting the toast, said there was no nation to whom Australasia would have been so pleased to hand over the Davis Cup as the British.

Mr. Braddon also spoke to the toast, and complimented the visitors upon their admirable manners and admirable sportsmanship. At the same time he had an idea that they did not realise the situation when they won the cup, for in Melbourne were men who had speeches carefully prepared sympathising with the visitors upon an honourable defeat. (Laughter.) But Mr. Dixon and Mr. Parke, evidently, did not require orations, they wanted to win. (Applause.)

Mr. W. H. Forrest, a former president, also spoke.

The chairman proposed "The British Isles," and coupled with it the name of Mr. Dixon. The company drank the toast with great enthusiasm, singing "For they are jolly good fellows."

The captain, Mr. Dixon, who was loudly cheered, said that since arriving in Australia they had been treated in the most hospitable and sportsmanlike manner. "I am a bit of a rabbit," he said, "at making a speech, and can only say how awfully bucked up we all are by our victory—due absolutely to Parke, from good old Ireland." (Laughter and applause.) He thanked Mr. Hicks and the Australasian Association for the excellent arrangements made for the matches, and for the way they had entertained the team. In Melbourne they had had a great time, and found the crowds splendid sportsmen; in fact, he had never faced a better crowd.

Great cheering greeted Mr. Parke, who is a solicitor, near Dublin. He reiterated all his captain had said about the spectators who attended the cup contests. He had never played before such a sporting crowd. Some people entertained the idea that England was only a short distance away, and wondered why a British Isles' team had not visited these shores before; but he could assure them that in England many people thought Australia lay at one end of the earth. (Cries of "Oh!") When the present team told of the time they had had in Australia, however, it would not be long ere another British team came out.

A voice: "Come out yourself, Parke."

Mr. Parke: "I'll come if I can manage it."

Continuing, he said they had been the luckiest team imaginable, and their success had caused the greatest surprise. "Our speeches had to undergo a remodelling process, I can assure you, when we won the cup. (Laughter.) As regards future Davis Cup contests, the next will probably be played in June at Wimbledon, and I see no hope of retaining the cup unless Mr. Brookes has retired. It will be serious for us if he doesn't. (Laughter.) But you have some splendid young players to draw upon, and I was much impressed with the play of the brothers O'Hara-Wood, Patterson, and Anderson." (Applause.)

Mr. Beamish said Melbourne people, he felt sure, would have been sorry had the British team lost.

Mr. Braddon: Fine actors. (Laughter.)

"I have always to speak last as fourth member of the team, and so far I have not played in a match," said Mr. Lowe, "but I hope to have a good go here." (Applause.)

FUTURE CHAMPIONS.

MR. DIXON'S VIEWS.

Mr. Dixon, the captain, who is a brother of Mr. J. A. Dixon, for some time captain of the Nottingham cricket eleven, told a "Herald" reporter yesterday that Australia is at the present time rich in young players of ability.

"I watched the Public schools' competition and the Victorian championships," he said, "and I was greatly impressed by the high standard of skill which the young fellows competing had attained. Two lads, named Johnson and Foster, had actually succeeded in mastering the American service and the majority of the modern strokes to perfection. At home we do not start tennis, of course, until we go to the 'Varsity, in case it might interfere with our cricket. That is where your young players get a long lead, and I can say that I think Australia is rich in young players. Tennis is booming in England just now, and for the open singles at Eastbourne this season we had over 100 entries. Things have not looked so bright since the brothers Doherty reigned supreme. We have a number of splendid, young players, who would have been good enough to bring out. For instance, there is Arthur Lowe, a brother of Gordon, a member of our team, Mr. Mavrogordato, who won the covered court championships at Queen's Club, Mr. Kingscott, Mr. Hope Crisp, and others. Tennis at the 'Varsities is very strong just now.

"Regarding your courts, I consider the court upon which we played the Davis Cup contest is equal to the centre court at Wimbledon. It was very fast on Saturday. The light was excellent—the glare a trifle trying.

"Brookes is a wonderfully good, all-round player, yet, and during last week's contests he showed form equal to that of his best days. Perhaps he lacked the stamina he formerly enjoyed. Parke played as he has never played before in his life, I should think. He played in Melbourne without having business cares to worry him, and the splendid practice they gave him ran him right into his true form. He has never shown such splendid play at home.

"I think we have a distinctly good chance of retaining the cup we have won against all comers at Wimbledon in June. Australasia, America, France, Belgium, Austria, Germany, and Sweden will be likely competitors. Brookes has intimated his intention of trying to win it back."

AMERICAN ATHLETES.

TOUR ABANDONED.

WELLINGTON (N.Z.), Tuesday.

The secretary of the New Zealand Amateur Athletic Association has been advised from San Francisco that, owing to the withdrawal of a prominent member of the prospective team of athletes to tour the Dominion, the project has been abandoned.

THE LABOUR DEFEAT

CITY ELECTIONS.

WRITING ON THE WALL.

The Trades Hall was in a gloomy atmosphere yesterday, while men, more or less prominent in the labour movement, were discussing the results of the City Municipal elections. One and all admitted that the polling came upon them as a complete surprise, when viewed in conjunction with the optimistic forecasts of the last few weeks.

The secretary of the Political Labour League, Mr. J. Grant, preferred not to discuss the situation, saying, however, that he was then particularly busy getting up the agenda for the annual conference.

The secretary of one large organisation regarded the results as indicating the writing on the wall, and he went on to say that he predicted a sorry time for Labour members of the State Parliament at the next election, if they did not look out. The Labour candidates for the council had had, he said, to carry the burden of the Government's wrong-doings as well as that of the professional politician. Because of this load, unionists had not, on this occasion, voted solidly. They, however, had been at the disadvantage of not having a franchise which gave the principle of one man one vote, one vote one value. Labour wanted a franchise as broad and comprehensive as that which applied to the Parliamentary elections, but since the Upper House had only the other day rejected such proposals the question of the abolition of this Chamber would again have to be brought into the sphere of serious politics. Discontent was expressed on many sides at the fact that the Parliamentary Labour men had stood aloof so long from the campaign. When they did come in, it was too late to do much good, public opinion having then been formed, or votes promised to the canvassing candidates.

Another cause of mutterings of discontent was the failure of the State Government to give effect to many important planks in the Labour platform. "In my opinion," said the representative union secretary, "if the Government does not do something it will be beaten at the next elections. We all understood that one of the first pieces of legislation would be an amendment in the Workmen's Compensation Act, yet this has never been brought on. I would say to those who are threatening to rat, 'go to the other side,' and we will know where you are. Some men will have a lively time of it at next month's conference."

BOX FACTORY BURNT

COTTAGES IN DANGER.

INMATES HURRIED TO STREET.

The box factory of Messrs. Miller and Barnett, in Jones-street, Pyrmont, was destroyed by fire between midnight and 1 o'clock this morning.

The men from Pyrmont had hardly returned to their station from another fire when a civilian ran up to the door with the alarm of a fire in Jones-street. They immediately turned out, and as by that time the flames were showing up well, sent for assistance to all the stations in the district. A large turn-out under fourth officer Ferd was hurried to the scene. By the time the first men arrived the flames had gained complete hold of the factory, which is a low building, measuring about 150 x 100 feet, and had spread to the stacks of timber adjoining, while a number of cottages just across the street had caught. The inmates were hurried into the street, and quantities of furniture were dragged from the houses, but these precautions proved unnecessary, owing to the prompt action of the brigade.

Later, Chief Officer Webb, with more men and appliances, arrived, but it was impossible to prevent the complete destruction of the factory, and the timber stacks adjoining. The stock held is valued at upwards of £1500, and the timber at a smaller sum. No machinery was on the premises, however.

It is worthy of note that the call in this instance was taken to the station door by the civilian who discovered the fire, and that the firemen were thus enabled to get to the fire at once, a fact to which the safety of the cottages may be attributed.

MINERS IN THE WEST

HOPES FOR PEACE.

KALGOORLIE, Tuesday.

At the conclusion of the ceremony of swearing-in the Mayor and newly-elected councillors of Kalgoorlie yesterday afternoon, several toasts were honoured, and in course of speeches reference was made to the present industrial trouble.

The Mayor said he thought the outlook was now more hopeful than it had been, as the men were to be given an opportunity of deciding whether they shall cease work or submit the dispute to arbitration.

Mr. Harold Millington, secretary of the Goldfields branch of the Australian Labour Federation, said those who had taken part in the negotiations had endeavoured throughout to consider not only the interests of the men most closely concerned, but also the interest of everyone on the fields.

Mr. P. Montgomery, a prominent business man, said business men understood how difficult it was for working-men to make both ends meet on 15s a day. In fact, he did not think it possible for a man with a family to do so. He thought the high cost of living was due to the heavy taxes on imported necessaries of life. Some lines with which he was familiar were taxed to the extent of 225 per cent.

Councillor Morris said there was a large foreign element on the mines, and he thought if the consequences of a strike were made clear to those men they would favour arbitration. There appeared to be an impression that if one spoke a word against the Labour party one was doomed, and business men had remained silent for fear of injuring their business.

Waxing warm, the speaker continued—"That is all very well when things are going smoothly, but if the time arrives when the whole of your assets are going to ruin it is necessary to take some action, and I think that the time has arrived. A stage has been reached when some of the men think if they don't strike they will be showing lack of spirit, and I think some good might be done if the serious results of a strike were impressed upon them."

IN A REFRIGERATOR.

BUTCHER'S EXPERIENCE.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

Charles Barry, a butcher's assistant, had an unenviable experience at Wangaratta on Sunday morning. He was engaged in a refrigerating chamber, when his employer passed, and, noticing the door ajar, closed it tightly, and left the shop.

Barry immediately raised the alarm, but could not be heard, and was beginning to feel the effects of his confinement when he found an iron bar which had been left in the chamber. With the aid of this instrument he opened the door after some difficulty, and collapsed in a faint on the floor outside. Here he was discovered shortly afterwards, and under medical treatment soon revived.

"ANARCHIST BOMBS."

IMPORTATION PROHIBITED.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

A sample of "anarchist bombs," which are said to be used for breaking up public meetings, has been analysed.

The Minister for Customs, Mr. Tudor, to-day made available the report of the officer in charge of the Customs laboratory, which shews that the bombs themselves are perfectly harmless, but their free use by a minority party at indoor public meetings, owing to their malodorousness, might easily lead to serious disturbances. They are obviously intended for gross jokes, or creating a public nuisance.

Mr. Tudor has decided to prohibit the importation of the bombs into Australia.

SUGAR CASE.

REPORT OF COMMISSION.

FIXING THE PRICE.

IMPORTANT RECOMMENDATIONS

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

The report of the Royal Commission appointed to inquire into the sugar industry was handed to the Prime Minister this afternoon. At half-past 5 it was forwarded to the Governor-General. An informal meeting of the Cabinet was held at night to consider the report, which, it is understood, will be laid on the table of the House to-morrow.

Mr. Crawford's minority report has also been presented.

Among the recommendations made by the majority of the commission are:—

(1) That the system of bounty and excise should be abolished, and that in view of this abolition the Commonwealth Government should enter into negotiations with the State Governments or otherwise with a view to securing the promotion of white labour policy, and the maintenance of standard wages to the sugar industry generally.

(2).—That, pending the abolition of the bounty and excise, the amount of the bounty be raised to the excise, this equalisation, if practicable, to date as from July 1, 1912, in view of the special order in August raising the wages.

(3).—That the Customs duty on sugar, raw or refined, should fluctuate in accordance with foreign market prices, falling as those prices rise, rising as those prices fall.

(4).—That the amount of the duty should be the difference between foreign market prices and sugar of grade equal to 1A (as declared from time to time by the Department of Customs), and a standard price for Australian sugar fixed on the basis of not less than £21 10s per ton (1A grade), as representative of Australian costs of production.

(5).—That the import duty be the same for beet as for cane sugar.

(6).—That an import duty be imposed on molasses at the rate of £1 10s per ton.

CONTROL OF PRICES.

The report points out that the commission sees no reason why the principles which underlie industrial legislation for the protection of the wage-earner should not be extended to protect the grower. The commission suggests an arrangement for a sliding scale; so that the price to be paid for raw sugar and sugar-cane would vary in a fixed proportion to the selling price of refined sugar.

The commission also recommends:

(1) That the Parliament of the Commonwealth should endeavour to secure such an amendment of the Constitution as would enable the Commonwealth authorities to control the prices of raw sugar and sugar cane.

(2) That should such an amendment be adopted—

(a) That the price of raw sugar be fixed at a sliding scale by the Interstate Commission.

(b) That the price of cane be fixed by a board for each mill, consisting of a representative of the growers, a representative of the millers, and a chairman to be appointed by the Interstate Commission.

QUESTION OF WAGES.

Referring to the question of wages, the commission recommends:—

(1) That the minimum wage for workers in the sugar industry should not be less than 8s per day of eight hours.

(2) That remuneration for overtime should be fixed on a basis which takes into due consideration the fact that a worker's keep is really part of his wage.

(3) That the attention of the Governments of New South Wales and Queensland should be respectfully directed to the matters referred to in paragraph 36, being matters in which the amelioration of industrial conditions is necessarily in the hands of the States. We allude to the working men's blocks, the cheaper railway facilities, the control of the drink traffic, the accommodation of the workers, and the increase of facilities for recreation.

Paragraph 36 referred to in the recommendation is as follows:—

Whether or not the Commonwealth Parliament attains enlarged powers in respect to industrial conditions, there are directions in which the sugar-growing States, and particularly Queensland—concerning which the settlement question is urgent—might move to make labour conditions better. Amongst these we mention the following:—

(1) A more liberal policy as regards working men's blocks in the sugar-growing districts, and the opening of more land to working men applicants under the block system. If no Government land is available, other land might be repurchased for the purpose, as in South Australia.

(2) Cheaper railway facilities.

(3) Stricter control of the liquor traffic. There was an overwhelming weight of evidence to the effect that indulgence in alcoholic liquors is a great hindrance to successfully carrying on operations, and is a most serious cause of illness and degeneration among the workers in the industry.

(4) Amendment of the Queensland Shearers' and Sugar Workers' Accommodation Act to provide better housing, and the extension of the Act to cases where less than nine men are employed. It would appear that in such cases the requirements of the Act do not apply. The minimum number appears to your commission to be too high, and a material reduction might well receive careful consideration. Complaints were also made as to a general laxity in the administration of the Act.

ALLIED INDUSTRIES.

The position of the allied industries is referred to, and recommendations are made as follows:—

(1) Some of the manufacturers complained of the artificial and monopolistic restrictions on the Australian sugar trade. This subject is discussed in other parts of the present report.

(2) Some witnesses complained of the artificial limitations of the area of sugar supply resulting from the high duty on beet. We have already recommended the removal of this anomaly.

(3) We are also of the opinion that a direct gain would result to the allied industries as the result of an adoption of the recommendation we have made with respect to standardising the price of sugar in Australia. An automatically regulated Customs duty would, we believe, in standardising the price of sugar, tend to regularise the price of fruit, to discourage the over-production likely to follow a period of abnormally cheap sugar, and to prevent some of the hardships which are likely to arise when the jam-maker, owing to the abnormally high price of sugar, is driven to pay abnormally low prices for jam fruits.

(4) We recommend the retention of the existing rebate of sugar duty on export of manufactured products.

(5) While we believe that much more might be done than is being done towards the development of the export trade of fruit or its products, we refrain from making specific recommendations on the subject, in view of the fact that the subject will doubtless receive full consideration at the hands of the commission on the fruit industry now engaged in taking evidence.

SUNDRY RECOMMENDATIONS.

In respect to beet sugar the commission recommends:—

We recommend the passing of an Excise Act imposing a special excise of £2 a ton on the manufacture of sugar from beet, subject to the proviso that the excise shall only be levied in any year when the total output of beet sugar within the Commonwealth shall exceed 10,000 tons.

1. It may be assumed that the practical effect of such an Act would be to prevent the States other than Victoria from embarking in the beet industry.

2. The purpose of the proviso would be to safeguard vested interests in Victoria. Since the potential output of the Maffra mills is only 4000 tons, the limit suggested by us would even allow the Victorian Government to extend its experiment if it chose to do so—a course of action which it might not be indisposed to adopt in view of the opinions which its representatives have expressed before the commission as to the possibilities of the beet industry.

3. The limit of the output of beet sugar suggested by us might be increased in later years should it become apparent that the cane industry was likely to be unequal to the Australian demand.

4. In the meantime the policy of the Commonwealth would be clearly defined with respect to the conservation of the cane industry—a conservation which we believe to be dictated by social and political considerations of the first importance.

5. We are aware that some objection may be felt with respect to legislation for a contingency which may not arise. But, as we

have already suggested, it is preferable to prevent an evil rather than to wait for the evil to arise, since in the latter case the Commonwealth Parliament would be confronted by great, if not insurmountable, difficulties which do not at present exist.

The commission is not in favour of the Commonwealth competing against existing firms for the purpose of keeping down the price of sugar, and it is also opposed to nationalisation. In regard to nationalisation the commission holds the view that it would mean that the Commonwealth would be involved in a heavy financial loss unless it was prepared to make higher demands on the consumer than is necessary under a system of privately-owned industries.

STATE PARLIAMENTS.

QUEENSLAND.

BRISBANE, Tuesday.

In the Legislative Council to-day the Assembly's message relating to the Liquor Bill was considered in committee. The Council by 17 to 12 insisted upon an amendment exempting certain clubs from the provisions of the Act.

In the Legislative Assembly, the Wee Macgregor Tramway Bill was read a third time.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

ADELAIDE, Tuesday.

In the Legislative Assembly the Premier, Mr. Peake, in reply to a question in respect to a charge against Inspector Cherry, of the Education Department, said the matter came before the Cabinet yesterday, and was fully considered. In view of the finding of the board, against which there could be no question as to its ability or impartiality, and in view of the seriousness of the charge, the Cabinet decided to recommend the Governor to dismiss Inspector Cherry.

The Premier informed Mr. Denny he had received from Mr. M'Gowen, the convener of the Premiers' meeting, a conference note, asking for an opinion when and where the Premiers' Conference should be held. A reply would be sent as early as possible.

Mr. Jackson opposed the Victorian Border Railway Bill, which he declared would throw the trade of the south-east into the hands of Victoria.

HEWING RATE.

MAITLAND MINERS CONFER.

NEWCASTLE, Tuesday.

A conference of delegates from the miners' lodges in the Maitland district, held yesterday, requested the district officers to approach the proprietors regarding the selling price of coal, and ask for a conference, with a view to an advance in the hewing rate. The conference was also of the opinion that their representatives on the joint committee should again submit the claims for additional payment for all employees working the afternoon shift or dog watch. If the executive of the Colliery Employees' Federation and the joint committee fail to have the claims heard, an aggregate meeting of all lodges on the Maitland field is to be called on January 6 next.

STREET CLEANSING.

MELBOURNE EXPERIMENT.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

Like the Lord Mayor of Sydney, the Lord Mayor of Melbourne has begun his official life with a street-cleansing crusade. The Lord Mayor considers that the Sydney idea of placing receptacles in the streets for rubbish might well be adopted here. The city surveyor, who has been consulted in the matter, has agreed to recommend to the Public Works Committee that wire baskets be placed in some of the principal streets of the city, so that a test may be made to determine how far such a system will prove effective in ridding the streets of garbage. An attempt will be made to minimise the dust nuisance by paving the main streets with tar, and applying water to them freely on windy days.

IN SHIRT SLEEVES.

RAILWAY CONFERENCE.

OPENED BY MR. O'MALLEY.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

A conference of engineers representing the railway departments of each of the different States except Tasmania was commenced to-day at the offices of the Department of Home Affairs. The questions which the conference propose to consider are:—(1) The necessity for a uniform gauge; (2) the most favourable gauge from the point of view of traffic, efficiency, and economy of working, having in mind the congestion likely to be experienced in Australia in the future; (3) the estimated cost of conversion to a uniform gauge. Mr. Henry Deane, Engineer-in-Chief of the Commonwealth railways, presided.

Mr. O'Malley, Minister for Home Affairs, who attended in his shirt sleeves, formally opened the conference. He was satisfied, he said, that the conference would never try to correct all the Australian railway evils by merely calling attention to them, but would endeavour to so plan their future constructive destinies as to confer everlasting benefits on the whole nation.

The chairman announced that the deliberations of the conference would be held privately.

A CALCUTTA SWEEP.

RACING OFFICIALS FINED.

TOWNSVILLE, Tuesday.

At the police court to-day the secretary and three honorary officials of the North Queensland Amateur Turf Club appeared on a charge of unlawfully conducting a lottery. The proceedings were taken in respect of a Calcutta sweep at the amateur race meeting held in August last. It was stated that the Calcutta sweeps had never been prohibited in the North before. The defendants were fined 1s each.

ACCOUNTANCY EXAMINATIONS.

The following is a list of the successful candidates in order of merit in the examinations held throughout the Commonwealth under the auspices of the Australian Corporation of Public Accountants, the Institute of Accountants and Auditors of Western Australia, and the Institute of Accountants in South Australia (Incorporated):—

Final.—Bookkeeping and Auditing Section.—Passed in order of merit.—Pearce, L. A. W. (N.S.W.), Fisher, W. G. (N.S.W.), and Titchen, J. H. (N.S.W.), aeq.; Jackman, S. H. (S.A.), Goward, R. S. (N.S.W.), Rettie, R. (N.S.W.), Uther, F. (N.S.W.), Webster, M. G. (N.S.W.), and Sands, R. J. (N.S.W.), aeq.; Overhen, F. C. (W.A.), Kerr, William (N.S.W.), Bampton, A. W. (S.A.), Brauer, R. C. (N.S.W.), Rogers, G. R. (N.S.W.), Davis, S. A. (Vic.).

Passed on minimum markings, in alphabetical order: Buchanan, A. (S.A.), Fisher, A. G. (N.S.W.), Forbes, G. E. (W.A.), King, F. G. (N.S.W.), Knight, A. W. (N.S.W.), Lipsett, L. J. (W.A.), Mackee, J. G. (N.S.W.), Middleton, Y. M. (N.S.W.), Neuenkirchen, H. A. H. (S.A.).

Intermediate.—Bookkeeping and Auditing Section.—Waugh, I. L. (N.S.W.), Stewart, N. E. (N.S.W.), Johnston, R. (N.S.W.), Wilson, C. G. J. (N.S.W.), Woodman, C. E. (N.S.W.), Herriott, W. M. (N.S.W.), Miller, R. A. (N.S.W.), Robson, V. W. (N.S.W.), Dunlop, R. J. (W.A.), Graham, N. C. (S.A.), Reid, R. (N.S.W.), Gudden, H. (W.A.), Millie, C. C. (N.S.W.), Tapner, F. S. (Vic.), Craig, A. H. (N.S.W.), Spier, W. A. (S.A.), and Sandwich, J. A. (W.A.), aeq.; Byers, F. J. (N.S.W.), Pennell, H. A. (Tas.), Phillip, W. S. (Vic.), Oxley, H. L. (W.A.), Begley, E. T. (W.A.), and Wilks, R. (W.A.), aeq.; Hood, W. P. (W.A.), and Johnson, A. L. (S.A.), aeq.; Lord, J. (Tas.), Hastie, R. L. (N.S.W.), Maclean, K. L. O. (Vic.), Lindsay, A. J. (S.A.), Templeman, A. (Tas.), and Brown, H. J. (N.S.W.), aeq.; Lee, G. S. (W.A.), Reid, A. J. (W.A.), and Hawley, C. K. (W.A.), aeq.; Jones, R. E. (W.A.), Kerr, J. (N.S.W.), Johnson, R. W. (N.S.W.), and Brown, R. H. (N.S.W.), aeq.

Passed on minimum markings, in alphabetical order: —Braitwood, F. W. (N.S.W.), Brimage, H. F. (N.S.W.), Corr, W. J. R. (W.A.), Croft, E. L. (W.A.), Dale, Frank (W.A.), Fox, C. P. (Vic.), Hamilton, M. A. (W.A.), Harris, A. A. G. (N.S.W.), Husking, L. F. (W.A.), Lattimer, H. L. (S.A.), Miller, R. G. (W.A.), Morrison, H. R. (N.S.W.), Phippard, W. H. (W.A.), Prior, J. O. (W.A.), Ramsden, L. H. (N.S.W.), Sellars, A. J. (W.A.), Shell, L. M. (N.S.W.), Stiffe, R. J. (N.S.W.), Walker, C. C. (W.A.), Watt, L. F. (N.S.W.).

Preliminary.—In order of merit: Nagel, N. C. (N.S.W.), and Challis, N. A. (N.S.W.), aeq.; Swanton, G. J. (N.S.W.), Storm, Eric (N.S.W.), and Schmelitschek, W. A. L. (N.S.W.), aeq.; Kent, W. G. (N.S.W.), Pegler, J. L. (N.S.W.).

In the case of the final and intermediate examinations the successful candidates will be required to sit for their legal section in April next.

A MOTOR CAR INCIDENT.

Walter Jones, 40, a livery stable proprietor, was charged before Mr. Smithers, S.M., at the Central Police Court, with having stolen, at Coogee, on or about July 8, some motor car fittings and appurtenances, valued at £47, the property of John M'Grath, Ltd., of 94 Pitt-street, Sydney. Mr. Leslie Gannon appeared for the accused.

The evidence given was to the effect that William Arthur Sorrell, manager for John M'Grath, Ltd., motor importers, was using one of the cars belonging to the firm on July 8. At 11.30 he was on the Long Bay-road, when another car came in the opposite direction at a rapid rate, and almost collided with Sorrell's car. To avoid a collision witness swerved and the result was that the car was overturned. When he returned to the upturned car, about an hour later, several articles were missing. During a fire at Enmore on the accused's premises an assessor found certain articles there which, it was alleged, were identical with those that were missing.

The accused, who reserved his defence, was committed for trial.

THE SUFFRAGISTS.

A NEW MOVE.

WORKING WOMEN AND THE COMMONS.

LONDON, Dec. 3.

The militant women's suffragists are arranging for a big gathering of working women to "visit" Mr. Asquith and Mr. Lloyd George at the House of Commons in January. Mrs. Pankhurst has appealed to the less courageous militants to find the money to bring working women from all parts of the country to take part in the affair.

LONDON, Dec. 2.

The suffragists, using white paint, inscribed the words "Votes for Women" on the doors of many residences in Dublin.

NAVAL GUNNERY.

FIRE CONTROL TESTS.

LONDON, Dec. 3.

Yesterday H.M.S. Orion, using the service fire control, beat H.M.S. Thunderer, which is equipped with Vice-Admiral Sir Percy Scott's director, in big gun shooting.

The Orion demolished the target at a range of 10,000 yards, but the Thunderer missed with her first three salvos, though she succeeded with the last two.

THE SECOND BATTLE.

FIGHT OUTLINED.

RETREAT OF TURKISH LEFT.

(FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.)

(BY TELEGRAPH FROM FREMANTLE.)

LONDON, Nov. 8.

The second great battle of the war can now be to some extent described. The first battle, that of Kirk Kilisse, was narrated in the "Herald" last week. The second battle was fought some way to the south of it, over the long line from Lule Burgas, on the west, to Viza, on the east. Between these two is Chorlu, where the Turkish regiments have been concentrating all the time, and where the fleeing troops from Kirk Kilisse were rallied. Out of the vague scattered details it is at last possible to say that the Bulgarians first attacked and defeated the Turkish western wing at Lule Burgas, and afterwards drove in the Turkish centre at Chorlu. But in the meantime the Turks had been doing much better at the other end of their lines. They had attacked and driven back the eastern wing of the Bulgarians, and it was not until the rest of the Turkish line had been cleared from the country that it occupied that the Bulgarians began to turn the tables on the eastern wing. What has been happening in that fight the world does not yet ken. It seems that the Turks have been slowly retreating, fighting a magnificent rearguard action, whilst the Bulgarians have been trying to get Constantinople. The Bulgarian troops have mysteriously disappeared from other parts of the field—at least Turkish patrols, which have returned to the scene of the battle at Chorlu, have found not a Bulgarian there. It is conjectured that those troops must have been moved eastward, to join in attacking that Turkish rearguard which has for nearly a week been fighting much the fiercest battle of the war.

TURKISH LEADER'S FLIGHT.

The second battle has thus comprised three battles; all the fully-detailed descriptions so far received refer to the two smaller engagements—those on the west and in the centre. This part of the battle was fought out on a barren rolling plain, bare of trees, typical "downs" country by all accounts.

It was after two days' fighting against overwhelming odds that the Turkish first division on the western wing of their army gave way. Practically they had not been supplied with ammunition, and the men had not been supplied with food. The commander of this wing of the army, Abdullah, had had a piece of stale bread for his only food all day. When it was reported to him after dark that the extreme left had given way, he sent his few remaining cavalry to stop the retreat. Instead of stopping it they joined it.

Mr. Donohoe, the war correspondent of the "Chronicle," thus describes what followed:—"The wretched commander of the Turkish forces," he says, "fully recognising the hopelessness of the situation on the extreme left, gave the order for the retreat. And he himself mounted his horse, discarding his overcoat and hat, and, leaving his staff to take care of themselves, attended by two orderlies, joined also in the retreat. In the darkness of the night the Turkish commander pursued his way towards a small village ten miles to the south-east, in the vain hope of yet saving the army by stemming the retreat of the centre.

"It is difficult to conceal ill news. Abdullah may have been actuated by the best possible intentions, but his departure was the worst possible step. It brought disaster.

"The climax came in the morning, when the Turkish left wing learned the disaster of the commanders. They needed but some panic and stricken soldier to fire his rifle and shout: 'The Bulgarians are coming' to complete the confusion.

A GENERAL "SAUVE QUI PEUT."

"In the darkness of the wintry morning the whole army broke away, and made a concerted bolt for the road leading to the rear.

"My own part in the stampede," continues Mr. Donohoe, "began in the open Thrace Weldt, near Sakizkoj. Having informed the Turkish censors that I refused any longer to abide by the stupid and vexatious press regulations, one of which demanded that messages should be written in Turkish, I early broke away from the correspondents' concentration camp." Mr. Donohoe started to motor to Radosto to send the first telegram about the battle. After dark the motor sank in a mudhole, and Mr. Donohoe, with his chauffeur and dragoman, was left stranded on the open country beside it. What followed may be told in a condensed form in his own words: "Five soldiers who had wandered in our direction proved very friendly," he says. "For a loaf of bread they consented to mount guard throughout the night. These men had no overcoats. I had a fur-lined overcoat, yet shivered with cold. An hour before daybreak the corporal came to me and said apologetically: 'Effendi, my men can't longer endure the intense cold. We must go.' I thanked him for his kindness.

"Suddenly on the keen morning air a long moaning sound fell on my ears. It was like the sound of waves beating on a far distant shore. The murmur grew nearer, and presently a long straggling line of soldiers appeared in sight.

"It was the advance guard of the retreating army.

"Some dragged themselves painfully along; many, unable to crawl further, cast themselves on the ground.

"For perhaps an hour the retreat was carried out in good order; but subsequently, pressed by the mass behind, the vanguard lost semblance of an organised army.

"My own position became more perilous each moment. The motor car became involved in the midst of the main stream of the retreating Turks, which flowed in a long uneven line across the plain as far as the eye could see. Those of the rabble who could get near the car begged bread, which, alas, I was not in a position to supply.

"To these succeeded soldiers, with ugly gaping wounds, their faces swollen and distorted with pain. They jumped at the conclusion that I was a doctor, and implored me to dress their injuries. As far as my small supply of lint and bandages would go, I applied first aid.

"The more seriously wounded came next, limping forward, usually with gaping shell wounds in the upper part of the body. Seventy five per cent. of the wounded whom we saw had been hit by shrapnel.

GUNS GETTING NEARER.

"The enemy's guns had been drawing nearer and nearer our mud-imprisoned car, and we despaired of escaping. By noon shells were whirling round us, and struck some of the fugitives. The rear reached our car by 1 o'clock.

"Shells began falling, varying the ping-ping of rifle bullets. Up to then our efforts to extricate the motor car failed. At my earnest appeal the soldiers turned aside from their weary march to help us, but, enfeebled by want of food, they were unable to move it an inch. Having exhausted their strength, they sank down by the motor, and remained there. Capture now seemed inevitable, and they decided to burn the motor, rather than permit it to fall into the hands of the Bulgarians.

"The chauffeur, a French boy, was overcome with sorrow and despair, and, pulling out his revolver, he declared that he would die by the side of the motor. Each moment we feared being struck down by shrapnel. The moment when the situation was blackest, three span of oxen attached to a waggon hove in sight o'er the crest of the ridge. Three pairs of eager arms unhitched the oxen before the sight of the astonished driver, and attached them to the car. The poor brutes strained at the yoke, the auto. bounded forward, and we were free."

STATE CHILDREN.

NEW LAW NEEDED.

THE BABY-FARMING QUESTION.

The report of the State Children Relief Board was laid on the table of the Legislative Assembly yesterday.

In regard to the revision of the scale of apprentices' wages, the report stated that amending legislation was proposed covering this and other matters. Pending the establishment of a Children's Hospital on lines recommended to the Government, the board had approved of a special payment of 12s per week to approved guardians of children suffering from gastro-enteritis. No license to trade in the streets is to be granted to children under the age of 12 (and in some cases 14) years. The question whether the law should be further amended to prevent licensed children from trading on Sunday was now under the consideration of the Minister.

The total number of children under supervision is 9130 (or 450 more than last year). Of these 4677 were placed out apart from their mothers, and 4453 are with their mothers. The proportion of children boarded out to the population of the State is 5.3 per 1000. Last year it was 5.13 per 1000.

The expenditure for the entire services of the department for the year was £103,173, or £9108 more than for 1911. Of this amount £46,001 was for the maintenance of children boarded out apart from their parents. Deducting the contributions by parents and repayments of maintenance (£4360), the actual cost to the State for each child was £15 1s 3d, the daily average being 2764. In allowances to widows and deserted wives towards the support of their own children, the expenditure was £31,207, or £4229 more than for 1911. After adding £2534, proportionate cost of salaries and inspection, the total (£33,742) represents a capitation cost of £ 16s 10s, with a daily average of 4303.

The contributions by parents and relations towards the support of boarded-out children and children committed to institutions totalled £4196, including £164 10s maintenance repayments, the total amount was thus £4360 for the year, as compared with £3712 for the preceding 12 months.

"Of this the State may be assured," the report proceeds, "that when the question of dealing with defaulting relatives has been considered by the Legislature the number of children now provided for by the Government will be appreciably less, and the effect of such legislation will be especially felt in connection with the number of children who are now boarded out to their own mothers. The total number of children who are now visited and inspected by the board's officers is 12,770, exclusive of children supervised under the heading of school attendance. This total is made up as follows:—Children boarded out apart from their own mothers, 4677; children with their own mothers, 4453; children placed in foster-homes under the Children's Protection Act, 1188; children in licensed institutions, 400; children engaged in street trading, 904; children released on probation, 1148. The inspection of children is carried out by 33 departmental officers.

Referring to the pressing need for the establishment of training homes for State children, the report says: "A training home has been established at Parramatta for girls committed from Children's Courts, but this does not meet the requirements of the State Children's Relief Board, who desire to see established cottage homes for their wards, aged between 12 and 14 years. Children would be sent to them for six or 12 months' training in domestic subjects, prior to being indentured, and would then enter on their articles of apprenticeship better equipped for the duties they would be given to perform."

An important question is touched upon in the following part of the report:—"Although the State Children Relief Board is the legal agent for arranging the adoption of children, private organisations and individuals also deal with this matter without the cognisance or consent of the board. Adoptions, too, are arranged through the medium of the public press, without reference to the department, and operate as a cause contributing to baby-farming. The provisions of the present Act are not adequate to cope with these defects."

In regard to the Home for Sick Infants, Paddington, it is stated that, taking into account the nature of the cases admitted, the mortality rate must necessarily be high. Since the opening of the home 424 babies have been treated, 82 having been admitted during the past year. The report of the visiting medical officer states, inter alia, "One baby, 13 months old, weighed 7½lb, another, six months old, weighed 5½lb; in a third case three infants were found locked in a room without furniture, naked."

Reference is also made to the Babies' Home, Thirlmere, and the home for mothers with infants at Croydon. It is pointed out that further hospital facilities for the treatment of young infants suffering with diseases of great infectivity are urgently necessary.

The number of widows and deserted wives receiving allowances in their own homes is given as 1674, the allowances being in support of 4453 children under 12 years of age.

CASUALTIES.

BRICKWORKS' FATALITY.

At the City Coroner's Court yesterday an inquest as to the death of Albert John Lee, 38, who died at the Prince Alfred Hospital on November 25, following a depressed skull fracture, resulted in a verdict of "accidental death."

In evidence, it was shown that the deceased, while working at a shale pit in the Federal Brickworks, Alexandria, on November 12, was struck on the head by a piece of shale.

CAUGHT IN CORNCRACKER.

LIVERPOOL, Tuesday.

Vera Kelsey, aged 5 years, daughter of Mr. A. Kelsey, Hoxton Park, had her right hand badly crushed on Saturday through being caught in a corncracker. Dr. Pirie found it necessary to amputate one finger.

CRUSHED BETWEEN TRUCKS.

PARKES, Monday.

Alexander Fairbairn, employed with a material gang at Park, Peak Hill, was caught between truck buffers, and his right side was badly crushed. The injured man was removed to Parkes Hospital.

CARRIER KILLED.

PARKES, Monday.

A carrier named Clark died in the local hospital through injuries caused by a blow from a rail which a horse kicked against him.

WILLIAM BOOTH MEMORIAL FUND.

The secretary of the William Booth Memorial Fund acknowledges receipt of the following contributions:—

	£	s.	d.
Amount previously acknowledged	3261	7	6
G. Phillips	100	0	0
Casino Friends	20	0	0
Wunderlich, Ltd.	10	10	0
Ward and Co.	2	2	0
G. E. Eddy	5	0	0
H. Cole	1	1	0
Armidale Friend	1	0	0
Forest Lodge Friends	1	8	6
C. E. Weston and Co.	1	1	0
T. Kay	1	1	0
West Maitland Friends	5	18	0
Newtown Friends	1	11	6
North Sydney Friends	1	5	0
Total	£3413	6	6

MAN CUTS HIS THROAT.

Vines Quinlan, 34, a wharf labourer, residing at Bourke-street, Waterloo, cut his throat with a table-knife last night. He was taken to the Royal Prince Alfred Hospital by the Civil Ambulance, and life was pronounced extinct.

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FEDERAL POWERS.

REFERENDUM BILLS DEBATED.

PARLIAMENT UNPOPULAR.

MR. HUGHES' DEFENCE.

The debate on the proposals to alter the Constitution was resumed to-day in the House of Representatives.

On the second reading of the bill relating to trade and commerce powers, Mr. J. Williams (Tas.) described the last referendum as a wilful waste of money. He believed that the result of another referendum would be the same.

Mr. Spence (N.S.W.) asserted that at least 241,000 persons in the Commonwealth had been affected by wages board determinations or agreements. In the past it had not been the wage-earner who broke the agreements, but the employer himself. When Parliament found that it was its duty to appeal to the people the result of the referendum would be an eye-opener to members of the Opposition.

Mr. J. Cook (N.S.W.): You will see all about the eye-opener.

Mr. Bamford (Q.) said there was not one original idea throughout the whole of the Constitution of Australia. It was taken almost entirely from the American Constitution. He desired to show members of the Opposition that the Constitution for which they claimed so much credit was nothing but a copy of something (the American Constitution) that was out of date and framed 100 years ago. He referred to what he called the present comic opera business of 14 Houses, six Governors, and one Governor-General. The result of a referendum in New South Wales in 1903 regarding reduction of members indicated that whenever they got the opportunity the electors were in favour of reducing the number of members. It was his belief that if the people had the opportunity they would vote down the State Parliaments. All being well the next Parliament he would vote for the abolition of the Senate altogether.

Mr. Livingstone (S.A.) said that the proposals would be defeated. The Federal Parliament was in bad odour throughout Australia, and he thought that if a referendum was taken on the question of abolishing the Federal Parliament, more votes would be given in favour of this than for extending the powers.

The debate was adjourned till later in the day.

Discussion was resumed on the second reading of the Constitution Amendment Bill, dealing with corporations.

Mr. W. H. Irvine (Vic.) said that the trusts in America had carried on their operations by different methods. The bill sought power to make laws with regard to the regulation or prohibition of combines, but, by taking that power, the object sought was only being achieved in an ineffectually small way. By taking the particular power over corporations something was being done which had nothing whatever to do with trusts and combines, but might result in mischievous and dangerous results. This bill was to carry out in effect what the High Court said in the Huddart, Parker case could not be done. It was to control the whole operations of corporations. It would allow the Commonwealth to frame laws of libel for a newspaper owned by a corporation, while State laws of libel would apply to newspapers owned by individuals. There would be one law of libel for one paper, and one for another. The same thing would apply to hotels owned by corporations, and private people. This bill only touched trusts and combines in the most remote way. The Attorney-General in his speech attacked only the Coal Vend and the Sugar Company. The Coal Vend and the C.S. Co., could not be brought under the provisions of the bill to deal with corporations. Therefore, these cases had nothing to do with the bill.

Mr. Cook: It has more to do with the platform outside.

Mr. Irvine said the Attorney-General had made a thinly-veiled attack on the High Court, and it was a great pity that the Attorney-General should be attacking the High Court. It was the prime duty of the Attorney-General to protect the Judges. Mr. Hughes had clearly shown by his speeches and interviews that it was his desire to show that Mr. Justice Isaacs was right in the coal vend case, and the Court of Appeal was wrong. That was not the attitude he should take up. They ought to expect from the Attorney-General that he would maintain the High Court in the respect of people. The only law necessary to deal with corporations was one to deal with the creation and winding-up of corporations. That would enable them to deal with the only evil which existed—the want of uniformity of company laws under which they could prohibit a corporation holding shares in another company, and thus prevent a lot of the trouble in regard to trusts and combines. The bill was not directly connected with trusts and combines. It would only prevent corporations from holding shares in several companies, only one of the many different methods employed by trusts and combinations.

Mr. Cook (N.S.W.) said he wanted to correct some of the statements made by the Attorney-General in referring to the coal vend case. Mr. Hughes hardly made a statement that was literally correct. It was well known that there was no coal combine in New South Wales.

Mr. Cann (N.S.W.): There is one in each district.

Mr. Cook: Do you say that the coal vend in the western districts should be dissolved?

Mr. Cann: No.

Mr. Cook said everyone of the vends had been forced into existence by the miners. The miners of Newcastle just lately tried to get the employers to put the price up again, but the owners refused to do so. There was no one coal combine. There were three distinct districts, which were competing with each other. The bulk of the Newcastle coal had to compete with the coal of the world, and it could not be compared with oil in America. There was no combine in coal. All that, there was an agreement between the owners and the miners. There was not a member in the House representing coal districts who would have a finger laid on the vends. The miners would not agree to the price of coal being lowered. It was just as well that these facts should be known. (Hear, hear.) It was a fair and reasonable arrangement and the only way of guaranteeing to the miner a living wage. Mr. Hughes had said that the agreement between the vend and the shipping companies was a distinct restraint of trade, but he (Mr. Cook) defied members to substantiate the statement. It was said by the Attorney-General that there was no competition, but here again was another misstatement, for there was keen competition between the northern, southern, and western districts. Although Mr. Hughes had made much of the misdoings of the vend, he instructed Mr. Wise to say in the High Court that the Government was not launching the prosecution against the coal vend. Mr. Hughes had blessed the coal vend and the shipping combine, and said they were necessary to secure good and reasonable wages for the men in the mines and on the ships. Mr. Hughes said that he had no plan as to the scope of the powers he asked for. There must be a plan, and the people of the country would want to know what the Government was going to do with the powers before they voted for them. It showed that the proposition before the House was not of much use, when it was remembered that the Labour party had been saying all along that the power to regulate monopolies was of no use—they must be nationalised. The people would say to the Labour party: "use this anti-trust bill, which you have never used at all."

Mr. Catts (N.S.W.) said that the States had power to make laws for the peace, order, and good government of the States without any restrictions, except those imposed by the Commonwealth Constitution. The States did not do insane and unreasonable things. Then what reason was there for thinking that the Commonwealth would?

Mr. Groom (Q.) said that it had been asserted by an eminent counsel in the United States that the oil trust prosecution did good, because it caused the "unfair tactics to be discontinued." That was not the opinion of an amateur, but of one who went through all the cases, and knew what he was talking about. There was an anti-trust Act in the Commonwealth which could be put into operation at any time.

On the motion of the Minister for Customs, the debate was adjourned.

The debate on the Trade and Commerce Bill was resumed.

The Attorney-General at length reviewed the criticism of members of the Opposition. Mr. Deakin, he said, made a speech that was perfectly sane, being full of generalities. Sir John Quick was the only member who had gone into detailed facts. He had published a list of things the States would not be able to deal with if the proposals were carried.

He (Mr. Hughes) did not agree with him on that point. An American authority clearly shows that the States would have control of trade and commerce within a province. There was nothing in the charge that the proposals would lead to unification and emasculation of State powers. The Sherman Act of the United States was the most inept piece of legislation ever drafted by the hand of man. Any trust prosecuted under the Act had benefited by the prosecution. The facts brought out in the coal vend case showed that a greater monopoly existed than that proved in regard to the Standard Oil Company. The operations of the vend and the shipping combine raised the prices of coal and freight 46 per cent. to 50 per cent. If the facts brought forward were insufficient to bring about a conviction in this case, then it would be impossible to get a conviction under the present legislation. It had been asked why they had not prosecuted the Sugar Company and the tobacco monopoly. The reason for this was because authorities showed they had no power over trusts in regard to manufacture. After the tobacco commission had reported, the Crown Solicitor gave an opinion that there was no evidence of an unlawful combination, or any breach of the Anti-trust Act, or of any policy of exclusive dealing on retailers. That opinion was obtained when Mr. Deakin was in office. He (Mr. Hughes) had asked the Crown Solicitor for an opinion. The Crown Solicitor reported that it would be madness to prosecute in the light of the High Court decision in the Vend case.

Continuing, Mr. Hughes said he never suggested the fixing of retail prices. So it was nonsense to talk about fixing the price of a loaf of bread. The broad principle was not to regulate prices where there was competition, but only where there was no competition.

Mr. W. H. Irvine: Do you speak for the Government?

Mr. Hughes: I speak for myself. I might ask the hon. member if he is interrogating me with the authority of the Opposition? (Ministerial laughter.)

In conclusion, the Attorney-General said the Labour party has its record. The party would say to the people, "This is the manifesto upon which we will act for the next three years. It will be the extent of our legislation under these powers. If we want to go further we will come to you at the end of the three years and ask your authority to do so. Upon this the party will stand or fall."

The second reading was agreed to by 41 votes to 30. The voting was as follows:—

Yes.—Fenton, Mathews, P. Moloney, Charlton, W. J. Johnson, Cann, M'Dougall, Higgs, West, Catts, Howe, Chanter, Mahon, Page, Brennan, Bennet, Wise, Webster, Carr, Archibald, Brown, Ozanne, L. Smith, Bamford, Riley, Jensen, Spence, F. Foster, Scullin, Poynton, Finlayson, O'Malley, Anstey, Fraser, Tudor, Thomas, Roberts, Hughes, Dr. Maloney, Fisher.

Noes.—Livingstone, Fowler, Hedges, Sinclair, Fairbairn, Ryrie, Sampson, R. Foster, W. H. Irvine, B. Smith, Wynne, Chapman, Harper, Kelly, Thomson, Palmer, Salmon, Gordon, Greene, M'Williams, Glynn, Quick, Groom, Deakin, Cook, Forrest, Best, Atkinson, Fuller, W. E. Johnson.

The bill was taken through committee without debate, but on the second clause a division was called, which resulted in it being carried by 40 to 30 votes.

The third reading was agreed to by 41 votes to 30.

PERSONAL.

Lord Liverpool, the new Governor of New Zealand, is a passenger by the R.M.S. Malwa, which arrived at Fremantle yesterday. Lord Liverpool declined to make any statement beyond stating that he was pleased to be in Australia. The members of his staff are Captain Eastwood, Mr. Cavan Hamilton, Captain Shawe, acting military secretary, and Lieut. H. Hutton, of the Royal Welsh Fusiliers. Captain Eastwood is the only member of the staff accompanying Lord Liverpool.

Lady Stout and Miss Stout were passengers by the R.M.S. Malwa, which arrived at Fremantle yesterday.

Sir Joseph Ward, ex-Prime Minister of New Zealand, who is on his way to England, arrived in Sydney from Melbourne yesterday morning, and left in the evening on his return to the southern capital, en route to Adelaide, to join the R.M.S. Mongolia, homeward bound. Sir Joseph is on a purely holiday tour. "This is the first holiday I have had for 25 years," he said last evening. "I am going with my wife, daughter, and son to the old country to have a good look round, for I am in the humour to see the sights and to enjoy myself. I will return in time for the next session of Parliament in New Zealand."

Mr. James Allen, New Zealand Minister for Finance, will pay a visit to Australia in about a fortnight's time, arriving in Sydney on the 17th inst.

At a meeting of the conjoint board of the Royal Prince Alfred Hospital (which consists of the Senate of the University sitting with the board of directors of the hospital) Dr. Herbert J. Marks, M.A., M.D., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., was appointed an honorary surgeon for diseases of the ear, nose, and throat; and Dr. H. H. Schlink, M.B., C.H.M. (who had previously resigned the position of medical superintendent of the hospital) was appointed an honorary assistant gynecological surgeon. Both of these positions had been newly created.

The recent death of Mr. Justice O'Connor was made the subject of deeply regretful reference at yesterday morning's sitting of the Queensland Full Court, held in Brisbane.

WOMEN'S WORK.

APTITUDE OF AUSTRALIANS.

Lady Chelmsford presided at a meeting of the National Council of Women yesterday, held at the rooms of the Women's Club, Stanway House, King-street. There was a large attendance.

Referring to the varied activities that were centred in the National Council of Women, Lady Chelmsford said that in order that the work should be thorough, as many societies as possible should be affiliated, and they should bring under the notice of the council anything that they were interested in. It was essential that the women should carefully think things out first, then they would influence public opinion not by what they imagined, but by what they knew. One of the most striking features of Australia was the wonderful way the women carry things through. In England they did not realise the power of women in this way. They did not lead such busy lives as the women of Australia, and the philanthropic and social work of the women of Australia was, she thought, the most striking thing she had noticed here. There being none of the other sex present, she felt free to say those things. (Laughter and loud applause.)

PETERSHAM LIBERAL LEAGUE.

The annual meeting of the women's branch of the Petersham Liberal League was held last evening in the local town hall.

The annual report showed that the league numbered 223 members.

Mr. J. J. Cohen, M.L.A., delivered an address.

HOSPITAL CHARGES.

OFFENDED AUTHORITIES.

BRISBANE, Tuesday.

In the Legislative Assembly to-day Mr. Swayne protested against the charges made against the Mackay Hospital committee in connection with the outbreak of diphtheria.

The Home Secretary said the Health Department was called in to do what the hospital committee and local authorities failed to do. The commissioner in doing his duty offended the dignity of the gentlemen forming those bodies. As long as he was the head of the department he would stand behind the commissioner. The life of one child was of more value than the dignity of all the local authorities in the State.

NEW ZEALAND LABOUR FEDERATION.

WATERSIDE WORKERS' STRIKE.

AUCKLAND, Tuesday.

At a meeting of the executive of the Federation of Labour held here to-day, it was decided to notify the Timaru waterside strikers that they must resume till the Federation executive had an opportunity of thoroughly investigating the dispute.

The Federationists have taken re-possession of the miners' Union Hall at Waihi. They unlocked the door with a duplicate key and walked in. The hall had been locked up, no person being on the premises.

Official notice has been given by the Waihi Company that only men who are members of a union registered under the Arbitration Act will be employed in the mine.

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.—Dec. 3.

Manuka, s, 4505 tons, Captain Stringer, from Wellington and New Zealand ports. Passengers—Misses Leslie-Brook and maid, Crompton, Farr, Laudenberger, Clelland, Mesdames Malet, Wilson, Reed, Whitmore and infant, Bonevallan, Harris, Spinks, Anley and child, Messrs. Stewart, Cole, Massey, Hammond, Bromley, Wilcox, Collins, Reed, Whitmore, Sullivan, Mountford, Naylor, Hermanns (2), Bonette, Pettiter, Kerr, jun., Harris, Gee, Ansley, Shaw, White, Brown, Hott, Clelland, Captain Malet, Prof. Farr, Mons. Bonvillan. Union S.S. Company, Ltd., agents.

Dusseldorf, s, 5877 tons, Captain Saegert, from Hamburg, via ports. German-Australian S.S. Company, agents.

Barwon, s, 2990 tons, Captain Mills, from Melbourne and Geelong. Huddart, Parker, Ltd., agents.

Burwah, s, 2273 tons, Captain Snow, from Port Kembla. Howard Smith Company, Ltd., agents.

Nardoo, s, 2807 tons, Captain Walden, from South Australian ports. G. S. Yuill and Co., Ltd., agents.

Karori, s, 1983 tons, Captain Murray, from Melbourne. Union S.S. Company, Ltd., agents.

Tarcoola, s, 2646 tons, Captain Lang, from Port Pirie. G. S. Yuill and Co., Ltd., agents.

Inga, s, 942 tons, Captain J. Bull, from Auckland. R. S. Lamb and Co., agents.

COASTWISE.—Karuah, s, from Port Stephens; Namoi, s, Duckenfield, s, Queen Bee, s, from Newcastle; Duroby, s, from the North Coast; Kiama, s, from Kiama; Cycle, s, from Wollongong; Wandra, s, Dunmore, s, Hergn, s, Marjorie, s, and Sphene, s, from the South Coast.

DEPARTURES.—Dec. 3.

Solveig, s, for Newcastle.
H.M.S. Pyramus, for trial trip.
Wakatipu, s, for Launceston.
Eastern, s, for Melbourne.
Westralia, s, for Hobart.
Arawatta, s, for Melbourne.
Dimboola, s, for Melbourne.
Marathon, s, for Brisbane.
Lammeroo, s, for Port Pirie.
Manuka, s, for Newcastle.

Dec. 4.

Polaris, 4-m sch, for San Francisco, via Newcastle.

PROJECTED DEPARTURES.—Dec. 4.

Pacifique, F.M.S., for Noumea and the New Hebrides; Wimmera, s, for Auckland and New Zealand ports; Duroby, s, for the Tweed River; Pulganbar, s, for the Manning River; Newcastle, s, for Newcastle.

CLEARANCES.—Dec. 3.

Atua, s, 3444 tons, for Fiji (Suva). Passengers—Misses Osborne, Marmion, Hyoning (2), Carr (2), Doyle, Middleton, Duncan, Wignall, Marmion, Williams, Mesdames Duncan, Gillon, Crawshay and maid, Monckton and child, Marmion, Williams and child; Messrs. Mann, Benall, Mortimore, Sunderland, Bentley, Duncan, Gillon, Barker (2), Monckton, Carr, Doyle, Reed (2), Duncan, Langdale (2), Weaver, Dutton, Smith, Cleary (2), Ravenda, Bentley, Dangar.

Dimboola, s, 3854 tons, for Western Australian ports, via Melbourne and Adelaide.

Arawatta, s, 2112 tons, for Melbourne.
Kyarra, s, 6953 tons, for Brisbane and ports.
Marathon, s, 8251 tons, for Brisbane.
Manapouri, s, 2880 tons, for Tonga and Suva.
Fiona, s, 4471 tons, for Fiji, via Newcastle.
Corio, s, 2081 tons, for Adelaide, via Kembla.
Anglo Mexican, s, 4796 tons, for Auckland.
Eastern, s, 3506 tons, for Melbourne.
Westralia, s, 2884 tons, for Hobart.
Wakatipu, s, 1945 tons, for Launceston, via Eden.
Breiz Huel, s, 4845 tons, for Antwerp, via ports.
Manuka, s, 4505 tons, for Wellington, via Newcastle.
Polaris, 4-m sch, 717 tons, for San Francisco, via Newcastle.
Lammeroo, s, 4500 tons, for Port Pirie.
Barwon, s, 2990 tons, for Melbourne, via Newcastle.

During the voyage of the steamer Belgic from Liverpool to Adelaide two births and the death of one infant occurred. The Belgic arrived at Adelaide on Friday last.

The steamer Lord Lonsdale arrived off port from Valparaiso last night, and was eight miles off awaiting orders.

R.M.S. MALWA AT FREMANTLE.

FREMANTLE, Tuesday.

The R.M.S. Malwa arrived to-day, with the following passengers aboard:—

For Adelaide: Messrs. Wakeham, Brownsword, Waterhouse, Wardrop, Matlock, Cox, Mesdames Wakeham, Brownsword, Wardrop, Misses Wardrop (2), Hill.

For Melbourne: Messrs. Quinne, Hampton, Jones, Cudmore, Ross, Latham, Brimmead, Hally, Millist, Traub, M'Naught, Schurmann, Batten, Symonds (two), Mesdames Cameron, Reimer, Salter, Cudmore, Latham and infant, Brimmead, M'Naught, Misses Cameron, Bertram, Salter, Cudmore, Arnott.

For Sydney: Messrs. Honar, M'Catjie, Gordon (three), Beston, Woodside, Cambell, Moppett (two), Cross, Trott, Ford, Butterworth (two), King, Anton, Dew, Cox, Loolan, Reid, Morris (two), Merton, Jones, Mammoth, Keep, Joshua, Flint, Potts, Sydney, Wright, Reid (two), Cran, Kiddle, Lawrie, Fritter, Franklin, Howard, Walker, Williams, Barber, Henry, O'Sullivan, Hinmen, Adams, Reid, Wright, Hon. Earl of Liverpool, Eltwood, Cleary, Farquhar, Land, Baffan, Arkwright (two), Wright, Woolle, Joilb, M'Leod, Mesdames Honner four children and nurse, M'Cathie three children and nurse, Gordon, Beston, Joshua, Crosbie, Woodside, Bruggimann, Moppett, Trott infant and two children, King, Cuthbertson, Reid, Beddome, Puthrie, Morris and infant, M'Pherson, Pickering, Mammoth, Keep, Potts, Wright, Bran, Gill, Lawrie and child, Fitter, Franklin, Murray, Farquhar, Land and infant, Baffan, Lowe and infant, Misses Cowles (two), Gemrdon, Ballardie, Cully, Cross, King Cuthbertson, Gilmour, Davies, Ainslie, Jones, Turtell, Boult, Sutcliff, Davis, Ainsie, Paxton (two), Keep (two), Robertson, Cran, Kiddle, Terry, Baffan.

THE WIMMERA'S PASSENGERS.

The following is a list of passengers booked on the steamer Wimmera, which sails to-day for Auckland and New Zealand ports:—Messrs. D. Anderson, Tait, Brownell, Forrester, Barton, Armstrong, Williams, Morris, Captain Cooke, Messrs. Taylor, Morey, M'Laren, Bennell, Martin, Willis, Lieut.-Colonel Schofield, Messrs. Stone, Oates, Lipscombe, Oliak, Hatrick, Rev. Forbes Bown, Messrs. Phillips, Campbell, Aline (2), Lene, Denty, Gilmour, M'Govern, Napier, Lied, Cob, Millar, Captain Probert; Mesdames Morton, Healy, Denty, Gilmour, M'Govern, Napier, Millar, Probert, Taylor, O'Connor, Neale, Churchward, Tait, Watson, Harland, Armagea, Pike, Pratt, Marten, Bodley, Holmes, Barton, Oliac; Misses Mitchell, Fielder, Pettitt, Bunton, Proctor, Taylor, O'Connor, Neale, Churchward (2), M'Beath, Cohen, Thompson, Stevenson, Bodley (2), Armstrong.

NIKKO MARU'S PASSENGERS.

THURSDAY ISLAND, Tuesday.

The steamer Nikko Maru sailed at noon to-day with the following passengers:—

For Brisbane: Messrs. Hammond, Ross, Guillotmot.

For Sydney: Messrs. Denbeigh, Doughty, Bailey Davis, Marsh, Major Carey, Vice-Admiral Tate, Messrs. Itch, Derey, Schmidt, Rev. Pugh, Mesdames Pugh, Denbeigh and 2 children, Tate, Littler, Sohn and child, M'Carthy, Misses Pugh, Carey, Mann, Clement, at Clement, Goldstein.

For Melbourne: Mr. Webb, Mesdames Chapman, Hearne, Boyd, Misses Hearne, D. Hearne, Sinken.

MISSION STEAMER JOHN WILLIAMS.

Mr. Thomas Pratt, agent for the London Missionary Society, received a telegram yesterday from Captain Steele, of the mission steamer John Williams, stating that he had arrived at Samarai, Papua, and that all was well. The John Williams will probably be in Sydney about December 20, which will be several days ahead of time-table date.

STEAMER STAR OF AUSTRALIA.

A cable has been received by the Sydney Marine Underwriters' Association, stating that the steamer Star of Australia will be towed to Alexandria by tugs, which are expected to arrive at Aden on December 27. The Star of Australia left Sydney on October 2, and was towed into Aden on November 10, with machinery disabled.

STEAMER DUE TO-DAY.

Kanowna, from Western Australian ports, via Melbourne and Adelaide.

FIRE ON THE CYCLE.

At about a quarter-past 11 last night a fire broke out amongst some hay and chaff in the forehold of the steamer Cycle, lying at the Howard Smith Company's, Ltd., Wharf, King-street. The outbreak was caused by the upsetting or explosion of a flare lamp. About 60 tons of hay and chaff were damaged by fire and water. It will not be known until daylight whether the vessel herself has been damaged or not.

TELEGRAPHIC SHIPPING.

BRISBANE (510m).—Arr.: Dec. 3, Bombala, s, from Townsville; Mintaro, s, from Sydney. Dep.: Dec. 2, Grantala, s, for Melbourne; Dec. 3, Marloo, s, for Cairns; James Johnson, bq, for Newcastle; Eumeralla, s, for Rockhampton.

DOUBLE ISLAND.—Passed: Dec. 3, Ula, s, for Gladstone; Mataram, s, for Papua.

BUNDABERG (782m).—Arr.: Dec. 3, Tinana, s, from Brisbane.

FLAT TOP (1050m).—Arr.: Dec. 3, Aramac, s, from Cairns. Dep.: Dec. 3, Wyandra, s, for Cairns.

BOWEN (1155m).—Dep.: Dec. 3, Wodonga, s, for Brisbane.

THURSDAY ISLAND (1980m).—Arr.: Dec. 3, Nikko Maru, s, from Japan.

TWEED HEADS (374m).—Dec. 3, F. and A., schooner, off port yesterday evening now in offing waiting for flood tide. Passed: Steamer, red funnel, black top, 5.40 p.m., south.

RICHMOND RIVER HEADS (321m).—Passed, Dec. 3, Ilke Allinga, s, 7.30 a.m., south.

CLARENCE HEADS (298m).—Dep.: Dec. 3, Coramba, s, and Kallatina, s, for Sydney, 4.30 p.m.

SOUTH SOLITARY (250m).—Passed: Dec. 3, Chillagoe, s, 4 p.m., south.

BELLINGER (230m.).—Arr.: Dec. 3, Latona, s, from Nambucca, 5 p.m. Dep.: Our Elsie, s, for Sydney, 4.30 p.m.

NAMBUCCA HEADS (223m).—Arr.: Dec. 3, Tramp, scow, from Sydney, 2.20 p.m.

SMOKY CAPE (205m).—Passed: Dec. 3, Grantala, s, 5.5 p.m., Ellerslie, s, 5.30 p.m., south.

PORT MACQUARIE (174m).—Arr.: Dec. 3, Rosella, sch, 12.50 p.m.

TACKING POINT (160m).—Passed: Dec. 3, Elox, s, 1.30 p.m., Kadina, s, 6 p.m., north; Macquarie, s, 4.10 p.m., south.

CROWDY HEAD (147m).—Passed: Dec. 3, steamer, yellow funnel, 12.5 p.m., Myee, s, 4.30 p.m., north; Jap, s, 5.45 p.m., S. A. Hayward, ktch, 5.55 p.m., Macquarie, s, 5.55 p.m., south.

MANNING HEADS (144m).—Arr.: Dec. 3, Bombee, s, 2 p.m., Maianbar, s, 2.30 p.m.

CAPE HAWK (123m).—Arr.: Dec. 3, Aleda, sch, from Newcastle, 5.20 a.m.

SEAL ROCKS (109m).—Passed: Dec. 3, Comboyne, s, 1.25 p.m., Dumaresq, s, 5 p.m., north.

PORT STEPHENS (83m).—Passed: Dec. 3, Cooloon, s, 4 p.m., north; Hunter, s, 9.20 a.m., Korumnah, ktch, 9.50 a.m., Dauntless, s, 11.15 a.m., Williams, s, 11.30 a.m., City of Grafton, s, 4.10 p.m., south.

NEWCASTLE (62m).—Arr.: Dec. 3, Alice, s, Archer, s, Fiona, s, Newcastle, s, Cooloon, s, Mokau, s, Beagle, s, Solveig, s, Karuah, s, from Sydney; Saros, s, from South Australia; Dauntless, s, Williams, s, from Port Stephens. Dep.: Dec. 3, Namoi, s, Duckenfield, s, Queen Bee, s, Pelaw Main, s, Alice, s, Archer, s, for Sydney; Kadina, s, for Cairns; Era, s, for Melbourne; Dumaresq, s, for Cape Hawke; Cooloon, s, for Coff's Harbour; Mokau, s, for the north; Brisden, s, for New Plymouth.

JERVIS BAY (87m).—Arr.: Dec. 3, a small steamer with yellow funnel and black top, 3.45 p.m. Passed: Dec. 3, Bermagui, s, 9.5 a.m.; Kanna, s, 10.20 a.m.; Hillmeads, s, 11.45 a.m.; Tarcoola, s, 1.15 p.m.

MORUYA HEADS (141m).—Dep.: Dec. 3, Hillmeads, s, 4.25 a.m. Passed: Dec. 3, like Adelaide Company's steamer, 7.45 a.m., north.

BERMAGUI SOUTH (169m).—Dep.: Dec. 3, Merimbula, s, for Tathra, 9.30 a.m.

GABO (238m).—Passed: Dec. 3, Betsy, kch, 9 a.m. (put back 9.30 a.m.); Ascanius, s, 10 a.m.; Endeavour, trawler, 12.10 p.m.; Koonda, s, 4 p.m.; Clan Graham, s, 4.5 p.m., west.

WILSON'S PROMONTORY (426m).—Passed inward: Dec. 3, Wear at 2.40 a.m. Passed outward: Dec. 3, Kanowna, s, at 5.25 a.m., Moorabool, s, at 9.20 a.m.

MELBOURNE (576m).—Arr.: Dec. 3, Clan Campbell, s, Urilla, s, and Wear, s, from Newcastle. Dep.: Oonah, s, for Burnie; Orama, R.M.S., for Sydney; Mongolia, R.M.S., for London; Waratah, s, for Launceston; Wollowra, s, for Cairns; Diomed, s, for Sydney; Paparoa, s, for Dunedin.

HOBART (660m).—Arr.: Dec. 3, Dart, aux. sch., from Melbourne, 1.50 p.m.

LOW HEAD (Tas.).—Arr.: Dec. 3, Loongana, s, from Melbourne, 5.55 a.m.

BURNIE (Tas.).—Dep.: Dec. 3, Marrawah, s, for Melbourne, 1.20 p.m.

ADELAIDE (1064m).—Arr.: Dec. 3, Burrumbeet, s, from Melbourne. Dep.: Dec. 3, Geelong, s, for Melbourne; Roon, G.M.S., for Bremen; Komura, s, for Newcastle; Bia, s, for Melbourne.

FREMANTLE (2480m).—Arr.: Dec. 3, Otranto, R.M.S., from the eastern States; Malwa, R.M.S., from London; Zieten, G.M.S., from Bremen. Dep.: Dec. 3, Otranto, R.M.S., for London; Malwa, R.M.S., for eastern States.

NEW ZEALAND SHIPPING.

WELLINGTON (1238m).—Dep.: Dec. 3, Surrey, s, for Avonmouth.

WESTPORT (1076m).—Arr.: Dec. 3, Campbell, whaling s, from Sydney.

BLUFF (1167m).—Arr.: Dec. 3, Valdivia, s, from Seychelles Islands.

AUCKLAND (1281m).—Arr.: Dec. 3, Northern Chief, bq, from Newcastle. Dep.: Dec. 3, Tatua, s, for Tonga.

BRITISH AND FOREIGN SHIPPING.

LONDON, Tuesday.

Arrivals.

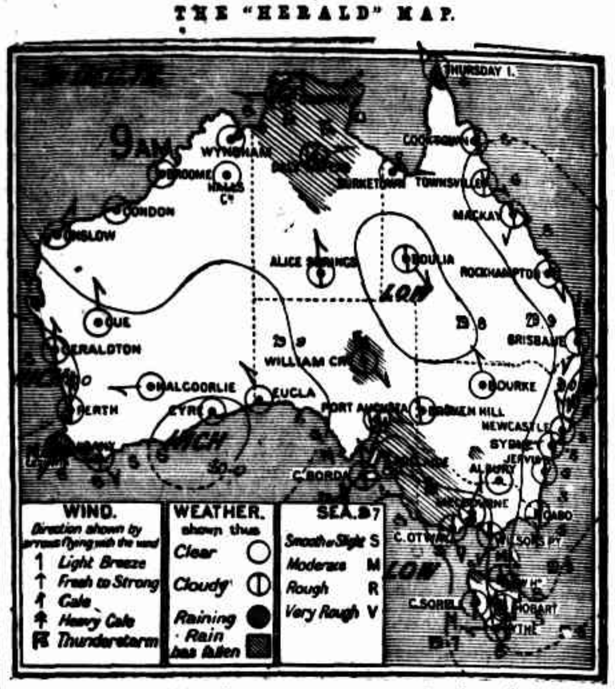
Narrung, s, from Sydney Sept. 28, at London.
Afric, s, from Sydney Oct. 10, at London.
Max, bq, from Newcastle Oct. 13, at Talcahuano.

Departures.

Pierre Loti, French bq, from Liverpool, for Sydney.
Schwaben, s, from Bremen, for Sydney.
Carradale, four-m. bq, from Callao, for Sydney.
Italia, s, from San Francisco, for Melbourne.

AUSTRALIAN WEATHER.

THE "HERALD" MAP.



The high pressure which on Monday was centrally situated to the south of Adelaide has moved north-eastward, and now forms a narrow ridge along our coast. This movement resulted in a short-lived southerly change during the night.

The Antarctic disturbance over the Bight has made very rapid easting. At 9 a.m. it was situated over South Australia, and had resulted in light to heavy rains, with severe thunderstorms.

A high pressure with two centres covers the SW portion of the continent; one is over the western part of the Bight, and the other between Perth and Geraldton.

A closed curve depression is shown over the western parts of Queensland and the Northern Territory.

Ocean Forecasts:—Local squalls over the south-east of Australia; squally southerly in the Bight, working easterly.

METEOROLOGICAL REPORTS.

Commonwealth Weather Bureau, Tuesday.

SYDNEY RAINFALL.

Average annual for 53 years, 4799 points.

Average for 54 years, from January 1 to end of November, 4522 points.

Total from January 1, 1912, to date, 4544 points.

Total for corresponding period of 1911, 4060 points.

Barometer.—9 a.m., 29.990; 3 p.m., 29.906; 9 p.m., 29.784.

Temperature.—9 a.m., 69; 3 p.m., 69.5; 9 p.m., 67; maximum, 73.4; minimum, 63.9.

Humidity.—9 a.m., 65; 3 p.m., 75; 9 p.m., 68.

Wind.—Greatest velocity, 25 miles, from the NE.

RAINFALL REGISTRATIONS.

New South Wales (for the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m.).—Bateman's Bay 12 points, Bega 10, Blackheath 7, Bombala 30, Bowral 2, Candelo 11, Darling Point 5, Glebe Point 7, Kiama 6, Kurrajong 20, Lawson 10, Marrickville 7, Moss Vale 4, Mount Victoria 4, Newcastle 10, Nimitybelle 4, Pambula 17, Port Macquarie 4, Springwood 10, Sydney 3, Tocumwal 8, Ulladulla 8, Wentworth 3, Whitton 2.

COASTAL REPORTS, 6 P.M.

Tweed Heads, S, light, cloudy, sea smooth; Byron Bay, E, light, hazy, sea smooth; Ballina, E, light, sea smooth; Clarence Heads, E, light, cloudy, sea smooth; Woolgoolga, E, light, cloudy, sea smooth; Bellinger Heads, E, mod., cloudy, sea smooth; Nambucca Heads, NE, light, cloudy, sea smooth; Port Macquarie, NE, light, cloudy, sea smooth; Manning Heads, NE, light, fine, sea smooth; Port Stephens, NE, light, fine, sea moderate; Newcastle, NE, fresh, fine, sea smooth; Lake Macquarie Heads, NE, strong, fine, sea smooth; Catherine Hill Bay, N.E., strong, fine, sea smooth; Barranjoey, NE, strong, hazy, sea smooth; South Head, NE, strong, cloudy, sea moderate; Wollongong, NE, strong, cloudy, sea smooth; Kiama, N, strong, cloudy, sea slight; Crookhaven Heads, NE, fresh, cloudy, sea slight; Jervis Bay, N, light, cloudy, hazy, sea slight; Moruya, NE, light, cloudy, sea smooth; Eden, N, fresh, showery, sea smooth; Green Cape, N, fresh, showery, sea slight; Gabo Island, NNE, fresh, showery, sea moderate.

FORECAST FOR N.S.W. AT 9 P.M.

Hot and sultry generally, with more thunderstorms and rain, chiefly over southern half of the State; more local squalls; wind veering to cool southerly in the far west.

INTERSTATE RAINFALL REGISTRATIONS.

(For the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m.)

Western Australia.—Breakaway 1 point.

South Australia.—Darwin 161 points, Katherine 48, Daly Waters 21, Powell's Creek 4, Williams' Creek 4, Port Augusta 12, Snowtown 34, Cape Borda 2, Adelaide 30, Robe 26, Cape Northumberland 35.

Queensland.—Thursday Island 10 points.

Victoria.—Horsham 16 points, Hamilton 29, Ballarat 4.

Tasmania.—Hobart 1 point, Eddystone 11, Springs 4.

ASTRONOMICAL MEMORANDA FOR DEC. 4.

Sydney Observatory, Tuesday.

Sun rises at 4.37, sets at 6.54; Moon, 1.43 a.m., 2.10 p.m.; Mercury, 5.26 a.m., 7.47 p.m.; Venus, 7.21 a.m., 9.46 p.m.; Mars, 4.11 a.m., 6.14 p.m.; Jupiter, 5.30 a.m., 7.50 p.m.; Saturn, 5.47 p.m., 4.18 a.m.

High water at Fort Denison, 4.37 a.m., 5.5 p.m.

New Moon, December 9, 3.7 a.m.

Full moon, December 24, 2.30 p.m.

THE MAILS.

THIS DAY.

South Australia.—Overland, 5.30 p.m.
Victoria.—Overland, 5.30 and 8 p.m.
Queensland.—Overland, 3.30 p.m.
Suva and Levuka (Fiji).—Manapouri, 7 a.m.
Clarence River, via Newcastle.—Pulganbar, 8 a.m.
Noumea and New Hebrides.—F.M.S. Pacifique, 11 a.m.
Auckland, etc., N.Z. (direct).—Wimmera, 11 a.m.
Tasmania, via Melbourne.—Oonah, 5 p.m.

THE BABY BONUS.

MANY CLAIMS PAID.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

Up to date 6867 claims have been paid under the Maternity Allowances Act, 2488 being in New South Wales, and 2283 in Victoria. Details are as follows:—

	Paid.	Rejected.	Under Consideration.	Total.
N.S.W.	2,488	18	601	3,107
Victoria	2,283	12	286	2,581
Queensland	881	4	204	1,089
S. Aus.	593	7	96	696
W. Aus.	271	4	190	471
Tasmania	349	4	88	432
Total	6,866	49	1,414	8,339

MAN SHOOTS HIMSELF.

James Reaney, a labourer, employed at a fruit shop in George-street, shot himself in the head with a revolver yesterday afternoon. He was taken to Sydney Hospital by the Civil Ambulance, where he died a few hours later.

NORTH LYELL RELIEF FUND.

The executive committee of the N.S.W. Public Disaster Relief Fund acknowledges the receipt of the following contributions:—

	£	s.	d.
Amounts already acknowledged	£765	7	6
Minter, Simpson, and Co.	3	3	0
The "Sunday Times" and the "Referee" newspapers	25	0	0
	£793	10	6

ALLOWANCES FOR STATE CHILDREN.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—I trust you will devote a small space in your widely-read paper to bring under the notice of your readers the small allowance (5s per week) given to guardians of State children. Surely it is a matter of urgency on the part of the Government to grant an increase. Growing boys eat as much as, and, perhaps, more than an adult, to say nothing of clothing, boots, house room, and the constant care a guardian has to give to bring them up. For sturdy boys, in common justice, 7s 6d per week is little enough. I have three, whom I have brought up from weak little toddlers to fine, sturdy, healthy boys. The eldest is eight years old. I am mother to them, and have all a mother's duties, and yet do not receive a penny more than I did five years ago, when everything was cheaper. Boots then 5s 6d are now 6s 9d, tweed suits are 2s and 2s 6d dearer than four years ago; rents and food are higher. It is, as your readers are aware, quite common to see such advertisements as "this cottage to let, rent 20s, no children," or "cottage to let, rent 25s, adults only." These little State children love, and are loved by their foster parents, and it makes it very hard to even think of parting with them. Trusting some abler pen than mine will take this matter up, both as a help to the guardians to enable them to be kept, and also for the dear children's sake—some of them lovely little babies, to creep into one's heart and appeal to us by their helplessness.

I am, etc.,

A GUARDIAN.

Dec. 3.

GOVERNMENT FACTORIES.

FEDERAL POWERS UNCERTAIN.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

In the House of Representatives, Mr. Fuller (N.S.W.), alluding to a speech made by Senator Pearce, asked whether the Minister would inform the House under what power Parliament had authorised the establishment of the small arms factory at Lithgow, the cordite factory at Maribyrnong, woollen mills at Geelong, and a harness factory in Melbourne? If Parliament had authority to establish such works, could not Parliament, under similar authority, establish ironworks?

The Hon. Minister, Mr. Roberts, said that Senator Pearce had pointed out in the speech that the only effective way to deal with trusts would be to give the Commonwealth Parliament power to establish its own ironworks, not merely for the purpose of making rails for the transcontinental railway, but also for the purpose of protecting the private consumer. The Federal Defence factories were established under the general defence powers of the Constitution; but in no case had they supplied the private consumer. No ironworks could be expected to be a success unless, besides supplying Government requirements, it could dispose of its surplus to private consumers, and the Minister thought it was a legal question whether these factories could be used for any other purpose than that for the requirements of Federal departments.

SELECTING CANDIDATES.

TASMANIAN LIBERALS.

HOBART, Tuesday.

The counting in the Federal elections of the Tasmanian Liberal League began to-day. It will be some days before the result of the Senate pre-election ballot is known for the Denison seat. In the House of Representatives there were three candidates, and Mr. W. A. Trenwith won easily. The votes were cast as follows:—Trenwith 1685, W. E. Bottrill (barrister, of Hobart) 313, D. Freeman (contractor, Hobart) 203. The members of both men's and women's leagues voted. To oppose Mr. O'Malley for Darwin, Mr. Marshall, secretary of the league, has been accepted as the Liberal League candidate without a pre-election ballot. Mr. Williams' right to contest Franklin was not challenged, nor Mr. Atkinson's claim to Wilmot. For Bass, to oppose Mr. Jensen, there were two candidates, and Mr. Margetts headed the poll.

THE CHELMSFORD INSTITUTE FOR SEAMEN, NEWCASTLE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—At a recent meeting convened by the Lord Mayor of Sydney, their Excellencies Lord Chelmsford and Admiral Sir G. F. King-Hall, made an urgent appeal for funds to erect a new institute for seamen in the port of Newcastle.

Some three years ago the wretched accommodation of the Seamen's Institute in Sydney attracted the attention of the citizens, and, as a result, sufficient money was collected to put up the present buildings, which are known as "The Rawson Institute for Seamen." We do not think that the work can be considered complete unless proper accommodation can be offered to the sailors at Newcastle, a place where for many reasons a temporary club or home is even more desirable than in Sydney, especially for the younger men.

We are, therefore, anxious to assist the chaplain and committee in the northern port in their endeavour to erect a suitable building. Over £700 has been subscribed, leaving an estimated £1800 still to be raised. This is a small sum when the magnitude of the Newcastle shipping is considered, and how far Australians are behind the rest of the world in their recognition of what is due to the sailor class. We may mention that the citizens of New York are erecting a seamen's institute at a cost of over £100,000.

The leading firms and residents in the Hunter River district are giving their warm support to the project, but the interests of Newcastle and Sydney are so closely concerned that we feel justified in making this appeal for support to assist the movement. We should be very glad to receive any subscriptions, or they may be sent direct to the Rev. W. Forster Haire, the chaplain of the Institute in Newcastle, who will at all times be willing to give any information about the work done there.

In view of the early and much-regretted departure of Lord Chelmsford, it is desired to push forward the movement as much as possible, so that his Excellency may be asked to lay the foundation stone of the building in which he has taken so great an interest, and to which he has graciously granted his name.

A. GORDON WESCHE, Superintendent in Australia P. and O.S.N. Co.
GEORGE M. MERIVALE, Gibbs, Bright and Co.
F. LANGLEY WEBB, Director Huddart, Parker, Limited.
HY. BRADDON, President Sydney Chamber of Commerce.
S. SCOTT-YOUNG, S. Scott-Young, Ltd., 1, Bond-street, Sydney.

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

STOCKS AND SHARES.

A large volume of business was carried through on 'Change yesterday at rather easier prices.

Variations of late rates were:—

RISE.		FALL.	
Balmain New Ferry	/3	North Coast Steam	/0½
Allen Taylor	/3	Australian Gas	2/6
G., Mort, and Co.	/3	Tooth's Brewery	/3
J. D. Williams	1/9	Bowton Bros.	/3
Nicholson's	/3	Joe Gardiner	1/
		R. H. Gordon	3/6
		Standard Waygood	/1½
		Metro., 10 p.c., pref.	/6
		W. and B. island.	/3

Closing quotations were:—

Company.	Amount of Shares.	Shares paid up.	Last Div. per annum.	Prices. Last Sales.	Buyer.	Seller.	†Yield to Investor.
STOCKS.							
N.S.W. F. S.							
Do., Govt. opt.	..	..	3	74	72¼	74	4
Do. Govt. opt.	..	..	3½	87	..	84	4
Do., due 1918	..	..	4	99	99	..	4
Do., due 1917	..	..	4	99	..	99½	4¼
Do., due 1919	..	..	4	..	98	..	..
Do., due 1924	..	..	3	85	85	..	4¼
Do., due 1925	..	..	3½	96/10/	96	..	4
Do., due 1922	..	..	3½	94	92	94	4¼
Do., due 1929	..	..	3½	93¼	..	93	4¼
Do., due 1919	..	..	3½	96/10/	95	96½	4
Do., due 1928	..	..	3½	..	94	..	..
Do. due 1925	..	..	2	87	85	..	4½
BANKS.							
Australasia	40	40	17	120/10/	120½	..	5¾
Aus. B. Com.	1	1	2½	10/6	10/3	10/7½	4¾
Bank of N. Q.	1	40/3	6	42/9	..	49/9	6¾
City of Sydney	8	8	8	5/5/	5¼	..	7¾
Ditto, new	10	8	5	5	99	5	8
Com. of Sydney	25	12½	10	25/10/	25¼	..	4¾
Ditto, new	25	6¼	..	16¼	..	18¼	..
Com. of Aust.	10/	10/	..	13/1½	13/9	..	..
Ditto, pref.	10	10	3	5/18/	..	..	..
E. S. and A.	25	12½	8	..	13¼	..	..
London Bank	[illegible]	7½	5	6½	..	6	5¾
Ditto, pref.	10	10	7	13¼	11	12	5¾
N.S.W.	20	20	10	40/5/	40	40½	5
Q'land Nat.	3	3	..	34/3	34/3	..	..
N. Zealand	5⅓	3⅓	15	10/10/	10⅛	..	4¾
Royal of Q.	9	6¼	5	5¼*	..	5¾	5¾
Union	75	25	14	58/10/*	58¼	..	6
DEPOSITS.							
A.B.C. Inscr.	..	..	4	15/1½	15/1½	15/4½	5¾
C. of A. Assets	..	..	3	17/10½	19/	..	3¾
E. S. and A. Inscr., pref.	..	..	3	12/6	11/6	12/7½	4¾
Ditto, ref.	..	..	4½	17/3	16/9	..	4¾
Ditto, deb.	..	..	4	17/	16/9	..	4¾
Q'land Nat.	..	..	3½	16/6	16/6	..	4¼
STEAM.							
Adelaide	1	1	8	..	27/6	..	..
Bal. N. Ferry	1	1	7½	24/	23/9	24/	6¼
Howard Smith	1	1	15	52/	45/	48/6	5¾
Ditto, pref.	1	1	5	22/	19/3	19/9	4¾
Huddart, Parker	1	1	6	22/6	23/6	..	5¼
Ditto, pref.	1	1	5	22/	22/	..	4½
[illegible]	1	15/	7½	14/9	14/6	15/	7½
Newcastle	1	1	7½	25/6	25/3	..	5¾
North Coast	1	1	8	27/3	27/	27/6	5¾
Port Jackson	1	15/	13½	43/6	43/6	..	4¾
Sydney Ferries	1	1	10	40/	39/9	40/6	5
Ditto, new	..	..	..	20/6	19/9	20/9	..
Union of N.Z.	1	1	9	50/	..	48/9	3¾
INSURANCE.							
A. M. Fire	1	15/	14	45/	45/	47/	4¾
Col. Mutual	1	1	12	52/3	..	45/	4¾
I.O.A.	10/	5/	..	5/6	5/6	5/8	..
Mer. Mutual	1	7/	15½	19/6	19/	20/	5¾
New Zealand	10	2	12½	26/6	23/	..	5¾
Queensland	1	13/4	10	30/	..	40/	3¾
Reinsurance	15/	5/	..	5/1	..	5/6	..
United	10	2½	12½	6/15/	6¾	7	4¾
GAS.							
Australian	5	6	15	14/10/	14¼	14¾	6¾
Albury	1	12/6	10	..	14/	..	..
Katoomba	1	1	10	..	21/	..	..
Maitland	5	5	10	..	..	10	..
Manly	1	1	10	30/6	..	40/	..
Ditto, new	1	7/6	..	22/	14/	21/	..
Do., last issue	1	1/6	..	8/6	3/6	5/	..
Mudgee	1	1	..	..	8/6	..	..
Newcastle	2	2	15	5¾	6¼	6¾	..
North Shore	1	1	10	35/	..	35/	..
Ditto, new	1	17/	..	22/	21/9	..	..
BREWERIES.							
C. and W. Bros.	1	1	44	15/	15/	15/6	6
[illegible]	15/	15/	20	36/	..	35/	..
Toohey's	26/	26/	7	19/	18/9	19/3	..
Tooth's	1	1	10	50/9	50/6	51/	4
MISCELLANEOUS.							
Aerated Ex. [illegible]	10/	7/	12½	10/	9/6	10/	8¾
Ashwood's, ord.	1	1	5	13/	4/6	8/	7¾
A. Bread Co.	1	1	10	18/	18/	18/6	11¼
Alderson, F.	1	1	7	19/	..	18/6	7½
Allen Taylor	1	1	10	25/9	25/6	..	7¾
Anderson, Co.	1	1	8	26/	26/	..	6¼
Arthur Cocks	1	1	12	26/	..	25/	9¼
Amal. Pictures	1	1	5	15/6	..	..	..
Aus. Drug	1	1	5	20/	22/6	24/6	6
Aust. Wireless	1	1	..	15/	2/6	4/9	..
Aus. W. Pipes	1	1	..	27/	..	26/6	..
Beard, Watson	1	1	10	23/7½	..	25/6	7¼
Ditto, pref.	1	1	6	21/9	20/6	..	5¾
Bowton Bros.	1	1	10	13/	12/10½	13/1½	15¼
Brennan's	1	1	..	12/6	..	13/	..
B.H. W. Supply	5/	5/	20	21/6	..	21/	4¾
Brooks, W.	1	1	8	20/3	..	20/6	7¾
Burns, Philp	1	1	5	27/6	27/6	28/3	3¾
Col. Sugar	20	20	12½	39/10/	39¼	39¼	6¼
Dalgety, Co.	20	5	8	6/5/	..	6¾	6¼
Dunlop R.	1	1	10	25/6	..	26/	7¾
Emu Bay Rail.	15/	15/	8	..	4/6	..	..
Emu P. & M. & R.	1	1	10	28/	28/	..	7¼
E. Rich, Co.	1	1	5	11/3	..	11/3	8¾
Farmer and Co.	10	10	12½	16/10/	..	17	7½
Ditto, pref.	10	10	6	11/10/	..	11¼	5¼
Feldh'm, G'helf	1	1	5	17/6	..	17/6	5¾
G., Mort, Co.	1	1	20	44/	44/	44/3	4¾
Goodlet, Smith	15/	15/	8	17/6	17/3	18/	6¾
H. J. Devlin	1	1	10	1/10/	..	20/6	6¾
Ditto, contg.	1	10/	10	14/6	..	14/6	6¾
Hart's	1	1	8	18/	..	18/3	8¾
H. Jones Co-op.	1	1	7½	24/9	..	24/4½	6¼
Hotel Metropole	1	1	10	34/9	34/	..	5¾
H. M'Kenzie	1	1	10	26/	25/	27/	7¾
Ditto, pref.	1	1	10	30/	..	25/	6¾
Hyd. S. Hles.	1	1	10	23/	22/9	..	8¾
Ironite	1	1	..	2/6	1/10	..	..
J. D. Williams	1	1	15	19/3	19/1½	19/4½	15½
J. Fielding	1	1	10	24/6	..	..	8¼
J. C. Ludowici	1	1	10	24/6	24/3	24/9	8¼
J. Sharp, Sons	1	1	8	20/9	18/6	19/	8¼
Joe Gardiner	1	1	10	18/	17/	19/	11¼
Marchant's	1	1	10	30/	30/	31/	6¾
M. Clark, Co.	1	1	8	25/	..	25/3	6¼
Ditto, pref.	10	10	8	10/0/0	10	10¼	6
Metters	1	1	10	23/	22/3	23/	8¾
Mick Simmons	1	1	10	24/	22/6	23/6	8¾
Moffitts	1	1	10	20/9	..	..	9¼
Mont de Piete	1	1	12½	42/6	40/	..	5¾
Ditto, new	1	10/	12½	26/	25/	..	..
Mort's Dock	1	1	6	19/	..	20/	6¼
Ditto, new	1	10/	..	..	..	10/6	..
N.S.W. F.F.I.	16	16	9¼	23/6	23/6	23/9	6¾
Nicholson's	1	1	..	16/	16/	..	..
N.S. Coliseum	1	1	..	..	..	16/6	..
Paris House	1	1	2½	..	..	..	..
Paul and Gray	1	1	..	6/6	6/3	..	..
Perdriau	1	1	15	45/	..	25/	..
Perp. Trust	10	10	10	18/9	18/9	19/6	5
Perm. Trust	5	5	10	6/2	6/4	..	8¼
Pitt, Son, Badg.	1	17/	21¼	..	27/	..	..
P. S. Rubber	1	1	..	26/6	26/7½	..	..
R. H. Gordon	1	1	10¼	27/6	27/	29/	7¼
Ditto, pref.	1	1	6	20/6	..	20/6	6¼
R. and Wrench	1	1	7	21/6	21/3	22/	6¾
Sargent's	1	1	10	24/	24/	..	8¾
Silverton Trams	1	1	40	5/7½	90/	..	..
Spencer's	1	1	12½	11/9	12/9	..	21¼
Stan. Waygood	1	1	20	38/4½	..	38/6	10¼
Ditto, new	1	10/	..	20/	..	25/	..
Sun Newspaper	1	1	..	20/	20/	..	..
Sydney Exch'ge	10	10	6	12	11	..	5
Syd. Hydraulic	1	1	8	20/3	18/	..	7¾
Ditto, contg.	1	10/	8	10/6	..	9/6	8¾
Syd. Ice Skat.	1	1	12	24/6	23/6	24/6	9¾
Syd. Taxi-cabs	20/	20/	10	..	..	..	..
W. E. Smith	1	1	7	15/3	..	15/9	9¼
W. H. Soul	1	1	20	65/6	..	..	6¼
Waters and Co.	1	1	10	30/	23/6	..	..
Ditto, pref.	1	1	6	20/6	20/3	20/9	5¾
Winchcombe	1	1	6	15/3	15/3	15/6	7¾
Wunderlich	1	1	10	24/3	24/	24/6	8¼
Ditto, pref.	1	1	7	25/	..	24/6	5¾
Wright, Heaton	2½	2½	10	80/	..	81/	6¼
LAND AND R.							
Commercial	4¼	3¼	5	..	10/	..	..
Haymarket	1	2	6	30/	29/	..	..
Industrial	20	20	6	1 1	16¼	..	7¼
Intercolonial	1	18/	10	28/	28/	..	..
Newcastle	1	1	7¼	24/6	24/	..	..
COAL.							
Abermain	1	1	10	..	..	32/	6
Ditto, new	1	14/	..	30/	..	32/	..
Bellambi	1	1	17½	38/	..	36/	9¼
East Greta	1	1	10	26/	26/	27/6	7¼
Hetton	5	5	16	71/3	71/	72/6	..
Metrop. pref.	1	1	8	22/	..	22/3	7¼
Do., 10 p.c. pr.	1	1	7½	11	10/9	11/	13¼
Mount Kembla	10	10	20¼	27	29	..	15¼
Newcastle	11	10	5	95/	..	..	10¼
North Bulli	1	1	..	11/	11/	..	..
South Greta	10/	10/	..	8/9	..	8/3	..
Vale of Clwydd	1	1	10	26/	..	26/6	16
Wallsend	10	4	25	16/10/	16	17	6¼
W. and B.	1	1	10	25/	24/9	25/3	8
Ditto, new	1	18	10	19/9	23/3	..	9¼
Ditto, pref.	1	1	12½	39/	..	40/	6¼

† Where dividends are interim the average for the year is quoted. Yields based on last sales.

STOCK EXCHANGE SALES.

The following sales were reported:—Morning: Port Swettenham, 26/6; Colonial Sugar, £39/10/; Australian Gas, £14/10/; Goldsbrough, Mort, and Co., 44/, 44/3; Allen Taylor and Co., 25/9; Fresh Food and Ice, 23/6, City Bank (new), £5.

Noon: Australian Bank of Commerce shares, 10/6; Bank of New South Wales, £40/5/; Australian Gas, £14/10/; Greater J. D. Williams, 18/4½, 18/6; Nicholson and Co., 16/.

Afternoon: North Coast Steam, 27/3; Australian Bank of Commerce, deposits, 15/1½; Burns, Philp, and Co., 27/10½; Balmain Ferry, 24/; Greater J. D. Williams, 18/6; Newcastle Building, 24/6; Goldsbrough, Mort, and Co., 44/3, 44/; Castlemaine Brewery and Wood Brothers, 15/; Colonial Sugar, £39/10/; R. H. Gordon, 27/6; Sydney Ferries, 40/; Tooth and Co., 50/9; Bowton Bros., 13/; Greater J. D. Williams, 18/9, 19/, 19/3; two months 19/3; one month 19/3; Standard Waygood, 38/, 38/6, 38/4½; Metropolitan Coal, 10 p.c., 11/; Bank of New South Wales, £40/5/; Colonial Sugar, £39/10/; Queensland Insurance, 39/; Wickham, 25/; J. D. Williams, 19/3; Joe Gardiner, 18/.

INTERSTATE EXCHANGES.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

To-day's sales were:—Goldsbrough, Mort, 44/; Dunlop Rubber (ord.), 25/6; "Herald" and "Weekly Times," 36/6; Huddart, Parker, pref., 22/3; New Northcote Brick, 7/6.

Afternoon:—Goldsbrough, Mort, 44/, Melbourne Tramway, 41/9; Dunlop Rubber, ord., 25/6; "Herald" and "Weekly Times," ord., 36/6; Huddart, Parker, pref., 22/3; New Northcote Brick, 7/6; Wunderlich, pref., 24/0; Howard Smith, pref., 19/6.

ADELAIDE, Tuesday.

To-day's sales were:—South Australian Gas, £11/7/.

FINANCIAL.

HIGH PRICES.

Mr. J. A. Hobson, the well-known Economist, contributes to the "Contemporary Review" for October a suggestive examination of the causes which have brought about the present rise of prices. He believes that too much stress has been laid upon the effect of the increased output of gold. "So far," he says, "as the rise of general prices is attributed to an increased supply of money, it is to the enlargement of the credit system we must chiefly look, and in considering the causes of this enlargement we must pay more attention to other causes than to the gold reserve." The increased output of gold has, of course, been a useful and perhaps an essential factor in the enormous enlargement of the credit system, but the existence of machinery for issuing credit, and of a gold reserve for guaranteeing it, does not in itself explain the rapid increase of actual credit which has taken place. Great masses of new credit have been created by the rapid expansion of investment in the United States, South American countries, North-west Canada, Japan, and other parts of the world. Side by side with the acceleration of the supply of money Mr. Hobson considers that there has been a retardation in the rate of supply of the goods which are exchanged against the money. There has, of course, been a continuous advance in the world's output of goods and services, but the question is one of the relative pace of increase. The destruction of wealth involved in the costly wars in South Africa and in the Far East has been accompanied by an enormous increase of expenditure on armaments throughout the world. On the one hand this has removed millions of able-bodied workers from productive employments into the military and naval services. On the other, it has caused millions of industrial workers to expend their labour in making military and naval apparatus, instead of making the goods upon which the money spent on armaments would have been spent had it been left in the pockets of the taxpayers.

"COMBINES" AS A FACTOR.

The rise of trusts, cartels, conferences, pools, and other forms of trade combination or agreement, Mr. Hobson considers, have tended to raise prices by means of a control of output, a normal result of the formation of a combine being to restrict the rate of production, making it lower than it would be under any form of free competition. The great and necessary increase in the agencies of distribution as the area of business operations enlarges has also helped to raise the price paid by the ultimate consumer. An additional cause is to be found in the increased expenditure on luxurious goods and services to be noted in the leading nations of Europe and America. Perhaps one of the most important causes of the retardation of production is to be found in the sinking of a large and growing proportion of the world's capital and labour in road-making and other developmental processes in new and backward countries. This means the application of a vast amount of productive energy to kinds of work the full fruitfulness of which takes a long period of time to mature. In the long run the economy of such a proceeding may be thoroughly sound, but in the meanwhile it may and seemingly must involve a period of abstinence, a reduction in the rate of production of early marketable goods. "When the development of the large, rich tracts of agriculture and of mineral resources in the new countries has advanced further we may expect," concludes Mr. Hobson, "so large an increase in the output of the world-supply of foods and raw materials as to more than offset the increased manufacture of money. A fall of prices will then ensue. But at present it appears as if the world were passing through a period in which an unusually large proportion of its productive energy was being applied to the developmental processes, and a correspondingly smaller proportion to the processes turning out final commodities for consumption."

BOVRIL AUSTRALIAN ESTATES.

The report of the above company for the 12 months ended December 31 last states that the accounts show a profit (after placing £600 to lease redemption account) of £21,452, as compared with £15,991 for the previous year. The amount brought into the accounts from last year being £19,926, gives a total profit of £41,378 to December 31, 1911. The directors propose to write off the balance of preliminary expenses, amounting to £6255, and to carry forward £35,123. The closing stocks of cattle upon the property are largely in excess of the opening stocks. During the season the calves branded reached the large total of 24,396. The directors regret to report that owing to unfavourable markets, to drought in other States, and to droving losses the proceeds of the sales have fallen considerably below their expectations, only £13,926 having been received on this account. The station manager's reports as to the condition of the herds are quite satisfactory. The negotiations with the Government of Western Australia for the erection of meat works, referred to in last year's report, are still in progress. Though no definite conclusion has yet been reached, the directors are assured that this important factor in the development of the enormous cattle industry of Australia is having the serious attention both of the State and Commonwealth Governments. Much of the success of the company's operations will depend upon the establishment of an adequate meat factory in the locality, as it is by this means that its large and growing stocks of cattle can be most profitably dealt with. Pending the final decision of the Government further action on the part of the directors has naturally to be deferred. As the profits of the year are largely represented by the increased stocks of cattle, the directors cannot recommend any distribution by way of dividend.

COMMONWEALTH BANK RETURNS.

The following are the returns for the Victorian department of the Commonwealth Bank for the week ended November 30 and to date:—

	Week Ended Nov. 30.	Totals.
New accounts number	300	9,586
Deposits	£21,951	£417,082
Withdrawals	£5,344	£72,659

A branch was opened during the week on H.M.A.S. Tingira, and £404 was deposited.

THE VALUE OF MONEY.

An interesting letter has been received locally from Mr. Alfred Gilbert, managing director of the London Agency, Ltd., in which reference is made to the value of money in Australia as against Canada. Mr. Gilbert writes:—

Since I had the pleasure of addressing you at the end of last year the drain of capital for investment abroad—especially to Canada—has had the natural effect of raising the rate of interest demanded by those who control it.

So that at least one-half per cent. more would have to be paid than at the same time last year on a similar security, and one might say that the popular demand was for a well-secured investment that will return over 5 per cent.

This was the position before the outbreak of the Balkan War, and the increase of the bank rate to 5 per cent., but until more normal conditions prevail the best firms of brokers would not advise any ordinary public issue.

First-class mortgages and similar securities in Canada still continue to offer a very attractive return to English capital, while it is curious that rates ruling for this class of investment in Australia are hardly sufficient to attract investigation here.

Probably when population flows as freely towards the southern hemisphere as it recently has to Canada the demand for money in Australia will raise the current rates of interest to those that will attract foreign capital even if they have not already tended in that direction.

"NOT NEGOTIABLE."

Problems connected with cheques are always of interest. Here is one taken from the educational section of the "Bankers' Magazine:"—

Have the words "Not negotiable" written across the face of an order cheque, without transverse lines or the name of a banker, any, and, if so, what, legal effect?

The words "not negotiable" do not of themselves constitute a crossing within the meaning of the Bills of Exchange Act. Section 81 (section 87 of the Australian Act) of the Act says: "Where a person takes a crossed cheque which bears on it the words 'not negotiable,' he shall not have and shall not be capable of giving a better title to the cheque than that which the person from whom he took it had." It will, therefore, be seen that, in order that the words may have this statutory effect, the cheque on which they appear must be a crossed one. As far as the paying and collecting bankers are concerned, their protection under the Bills of Exchange Act depends upon the cheque being a crossed cheque within the meaning of the Act.

But can it be said that the drawer intends the words should mean "not transferable?" A crossed cheque bearing the words "not negotiable" contemplated in section 81, as above, is still transferable, but where the title of the transferor is defective, a person taking the cheque from him cannot acquire a better title thereunder than the transferor had. It is well known, however, that customers can impose obligations and restrictions on their bankers outside strictly legal limits, and it may be, therefore, that the customer intends to convey by the words that the cheque shall not go beyond the payee. But the cheque being to "order" and at the same time "not negotiable," the terms are contradictory, and the banker would be entitled either to pay it as an ordinary open cheque or to refuse to do so at his option. If he returned it his answer would probably be: "Cheque irregular."

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE HISTORY.

Evidently the Chamber of Commerce is much more than 61 years old. In this connection "P.C.M." writes:—

Sir,—In your issue of even date, the president of the Chamber of Commerce is reported to have remarked at the opening of its new premises yesterday that "it was 61 years since the Chamber of Commerce commenced business, in an office within a biscuit-throw of that spot," and further, that "its records were shrouded in the mists of antiquity, their own recollections being gathered while the chamber was located in the Royal Exchange building." In view of Mr. President's remarks concerning its age, etc., and the value of "an institution which was now an absolute necessity in such a big commercial community," to quote his Excellency the State Governor, it may not be inopportune to throw a ray of light into those "mists of antiquity" for the benefit of those who have neither time nor opportunity to look into such matters.

The chamber was instituted on the 3rd day of June, 1826, at a meeting of the principal merchants of Sydney, who created themselves into a chamber of commerce.

The first president was Edward Wollstonecraft, of Berry and Wollstonecraft; vice-president, Warham Jemmett Brown; secretary and treasurer, A. B. Spark; all merchants, of George-street.

The first general meeting was held on the 6th day of July following, and during its first year the chamber numbered about 35 members, while the subscription was £4 4s sterling.

On the formation of the Chamber of Commerce it was confidently expected that greater regularity would occur in commercial transactions, or, in other words, that improved measures would in all likelihood be adopted at its instance.

Pending the erection of an exchange, George Bunn, merchant, the chamber's second vice-president, liberally favoured the institution with a room in his premises in George-street.

NEW ZEALAND LOAN.

The New Zealand Loan and Mercantile Agency Company, Limited, has received cable advices from London relative to the accounts for the year ended June 30 last. After writing £20,000 off premises, placing £5000 to staff benevolent fund, and carrying £60,000 to reserves, the directors recommend the payment of a dividend at the rate of 7½ per cent. per annum, less income tax, and the distribution of an additional 2½ per cent. on the third debenture stock, thus making the total distribution for the year on that stock 7 per cent., less income tax. In addition to the £60,000 transferred out of profits to reserves, a further £50,000 has been added to capital reserve out of the surplus arising from the realisation of properties, thus bringing the total reserves of the company up to £720,000. The annual meeting will be held on December 12.

NEW ZEALAND SHIPPING COMPANY.

WELLINGTON (N.Z.), Tuesday.

At the annual meeting of New Zealand shareholders in the New Zealand Shipping Company, held at Christchurch, the directors reported a dividend of 16s per share, and the carrying forward of £21,565. The chairman said the profit of £209,116 made on the purchase of the Federal Company's shares was to be carried to reserve. It was announced that the increased freights for the coming season would be on a basis of 5-8th of a penny per pound for greasy wool, and about 5s a ton for other cargo.

GOLD SHIPMENTS.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

Gold shipments per R.M.S. Mongolia to-day were £410 for Bombay.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

Hackshall's, Limited, has been registered with a capital of £2000, in shares of £1 each, and will carry on the business of biscuit manufacturers.

Jack Bros., Ltd., has a capital of £5000, in shares of £1 each, and will acquire the business of jewellers, etc., now carried on at 158 Castlereagh-street.

The Master Carriers' Trace Horse and Co-operative Society, Limited, has a capital of £4000, in shares £1 each, and will carry on the business of carriers. The first directors are:—Messrs. W. E. Budd, F. Cridland, Thos. Cody, Alex. Cook, and Thos. Gray.

The Sydney Chamber of Commerce (Incorporated) has been registered as a company limited by guarantee.

The Bulga Sawmills, Ltd., has a capital of £160,000 in shares of £1 each, of which 7000 have been issued as fully paid up. The first directors are:—Messrs. Adam Forsyth, Anthony Hordern, and Wm. A. Anderson.

The Twofold Bay Motor Transport Co., Ltd., has a capital of £10,000, in shares of £1 each, and will carry on a motor service in New South Wales and Victoria. The registered office is at Eden.

At yesterday's wool sales 11,146 bales were offered, and 11,427 sold, including 643 bales disposed of privately.

The market was very firm, greasies realising up to /15½, and scoureds to /23¼.

The crop of wet rubber harvested by the Bukit Cubu Rubber Estates, Ltd., for November is estimated to produce 1425lb dry rubber. The yield of the previous month was 1300lb dry rubber.

LONDON FINANCIAL CABLES.

CONSOLS.

LONDON, Dec. 2.

Consols were quoted to-day at £75/12/6, an advance of £1/10/ since Thursday.

NEW ZEALAND L. and M.A.

LONDON, Dec. 3.

The reports of the New Zealand Loan and Mercantile Agency Company, Ltd., for the year ended June 30, states that £20,000 has been written off the premises account, £5000 has been added to the staff benevolent account, £60,000 has been placed to the reserve from profits, and a further £50,000 to the reserve from surplus realisation. After making these appropriations, there is a credit to profit and loss of £20,111, from which dividends on the share capital of 7½ per cent., and an additional 2½ per cent. on the third debenture stock, are recommended to be paid. A sum of £372 is carried forward.

COMMERCIAL.

THE MARKETS.

Heavy chemicals had a quiet trade yesterday. Arsenic, in conformity with English advices, was very firm at £24 per ton. The poison is made locally, but prices depend on English value. When the English market advances the product is exported, and consequently the market here firms up; but when there is weakness in the English market, then the Australian markets get the benefit of the fall. Sulphur was distributing freely at £9 per ton. Fair business was done in carb'de at the quoted rates, though, of course, not so much as a few months ago. All the sodas were inquired for, but only in small lots. The English market by latest mail advices was firm. Prices for 1913 have been arranged. Alkal, caustic soda and chlorate of potash are to be the same as for 1912, and a material advance is to be made in bleaching powder. Sulphate of copper prices were fully maintained in the home market, but speculators seemed to hesitate to operate for spring shipment in face of the ruling high figures. Cyanides continued in good request. Rosin was firm locally at £16/10/ for parcels, on account of supplies in stock being low. Large supplies are coming forward, but they will arrive when most of the demand is over, and consequently forward prices were weak yesterday, £15/15/ being quoted. Even this was considerably above the landed cost.

Galvanised iron continued without alteration although oversea quotations, both British and American, were higher. Business in that line was of fair extent. Orders were rather better for black wire. Some cement was selling at 14/ to 15/, according to quantity and brand, out of the Port Macquarie and the Balmore. Other heavy metals were in slow demand. The Christmas trade in ironmongery and other light lines was most pronounced in the country, and all ironmongery goods were moving freely. This trade was expected to last till about the middle of the month.

In oils, forward sales of Blundell, Spence, and Co.'s linseed showed easiness, 4/4½ and 4/6½ being accepted for 50 drums of raw and boiled out of the Port Pirie, now 39 days out. Fifty cases of castor oil sold. Whitelead was without animation, in parcel business, and there were signs that distributing business was easing, in consequence of the approach of the holiday season. Turpentine was much easier, to arrive, twenty-five cases ex the Drackenfels being procured at 2/9. A cablegram from New York gave the c.i.f. and e. price at 2/5½, a fall of /1½ on the week.

A 7/ market prevailed in cornsacks; that is to say, nothing in country lots could be obtained under that price. Sales were good, and it was expected that Southern Riverina would soon come on to the Sydney market. Usually Melbourne is favoured by that division of the State as being the nearest port, but this year Melbourne prices are so far above Sydney that agents in Southern Riverina were keeping in touch with Sydney prices day by day. There were a couple of small parcels procurable at 6/10½, and when these had gone it was expected that the market would be cleared up of all offering at that price. Branbags are perhaps hardly so firm. Five-bale lots could be procured at 6/6, and for smaller lots 6/6 was wanted. Business was quiet both in parcels and in distributing lots. While the imports are known, there is not the same groundwork to go upon in judging of the consumption of branbags as there is in the case of cornsacks. Hence the amount of the carry over of stocks is always uncertain, as well as the actual number of bales used; and these circumstances make the holding of this jute fabric more risky than speculation in others. Woolpacks were quiet at 2/9½.

Up to a point competition was active at the tea auction yesterday, and, taken all round, competition was firm. All the Ceylons offered and practically the whole of the Indians were disposed of, the Indians up to /9½ and the Ceylons to /10½. Private business was restricted on account of the auction.

AUSTRALIAN WINE IN BRITAIN.

In their annual report, Messrs. W. and A. Gilbey make reference to the expansion of trade in Australian wines in the United Kingdom. From an Imperial point of view that is most satisfactory. These imports promise soon to reach one-tenth of the British consumption. The vicissitudes, however, through which viticulture has from time to time to pass are not absent from the far Antipodes, the report continues, any more than from vineyards nearer home. Contemporaneously with the growing popularity in England of the full-bodied and wholesome red Australian burgundies, the growers have begun to experience a series of adverse natural conditions, notwithstanding the comparatively early youth of their wine industry. In Victoria phylloxera has wrought great havoc, and quite 20,000 acres have been swept out of bearing in the north-eastern district, although 2000 acres have already been replanted with resistant stocks capable of producing wines specially suited for the English market. In South Australia a deficient vintage has caused a rise in price even greater than that which has occurred as the result of the shortage in other States. There must be added to the difficulties which beset the grower those of the merchant caused by the more limited supply, owing to the utilisation of the grapes for other than beverage purposes, that is, making them into raisins or distilling them into brandy. As against the vintage of 1911 the Australian vintage of 1912 showed a decrease in production of nearly 30 per cent., and therefore increasingly high prices for the growths, which principally supply the needs of the United Kingdom, will probably rule for several years to come. Indeed, in view of the increasing demand for Commonwealth wines in the United Kingdom as well as in Australia itself (where they are consumed almost exclusively, because of the high import duty levied on wines from Europe), the price of the grapes, and, therefore, of the wine to the consumer, must of necessity continue to advance.

SUGAR INDUSTRY.

BRISBANE, Tuesday.

The sugar exported from Mackay last week totalled 250 tons, making, from the beginning of the season, 16,608 tons, compared with 36,985 tons up to the same date last year. The bounty paid so far this season amounts to not quite half that paid for the same period last year.

FIG-BRANDING UKASE.

The Customs Department did not recede one iota last week from the position it had taken up on Thursday, that the Commerce Act regulations must be enforced by the branding of each particular box of figs imported into Sydney with the words "Sound, fresh, and clean." These were the orders, it was stated, and any relaxation must come by order of the Minister. Importers looked upon the procedure as another blow struck at imported dried fruit with the object of protecting Australian dried fruit. It matters not that this particular fruit cannot be produced in Australia. Australians must be content with what the Commonwealth can produce. If they are not, so much the worse for Australians. That is the ultra protectionist policy. It is the same policy which has imposed a duty of 1d per lb on dates, the poor man's dried fruit, a duty of from 75 per cent. to 100 per cent.

BREADSTUFFS.

MARKET AGAIN EASIER.

Wheat was offering very freely yesterday, and farmers sold readily. They had at last awakened to the fact that values were above export limits, and were rushing the wheat on to the market for fear it should fall. The London market was weaker, and naturally values locally receded. For delivery to-day 3/9 was paid, but for guaranteed delivery the end of this week or during next week 3/8 was offered and accepted. For delivery after the end of next week values were down to what exporters would pay. Sales of parcels for January-February delivery were made at 3/7. Shippers reduced their limits for farmers' lots to 3/6½ ex trucks Sydney, equal to 3/2 on trucks at country stations. According to London cables received by firms, the overseas market was in a very weak state. Nominal quotation for Australian parcels by steamers near at hand was 36/6 per quarter, and for parcels of January-February shipment sellers offered to quit at 36/, but buyers were holding off the market. Further chartering was done in steamers at 42/6 per ton; sailers were offering at 38/9. Argentine was reported to be offering freely. Liverpool futures opened ½d lower, and closed a further ½d down.

Flour had a steady sale, convention rates being quoted.

ARRIVALS BY RAIL.

Wheat and Flour.—The receipts of wheat and flour by rail at Darling Harbour and the suburban railways stations for the week ended December 3 were:—

	Wheat, tons.	Flour, tons.
Week ended Dec. 3	3965	935
A week ago	1494	1268
A year ago	6313	1229
Two years ago	3227	945

The totals for the statistical year, which started on December 1, 1911, compared with those of the corresponding period of the previous year, are as follow:—

	Wheat, tons.	Flour, tons.
1912	395,472	45,727
1911	514,997	45,237

Comparison of Prices.—The mean prices now ruling for wheat and its products compare with those of a year and two years ago as follow:—

	Yesterday.	Last year.	2 yrs. ago.
Wheat, per bushel	£0 3 9	£0 3 6½	£0 3 8¼
Flour, per ton	9 10 0	8 15 0	8 17 6
Bran, per ton	6 10 0	5 10 0	4 5 0
Pollard, per ton	7 0 0	6 0 0	4 5 0

In the case of flour, bran, and pollard the prices given are association prices.

In the case of wheat the price is the average given by shippers.

Four hundred and seventy-one tons of wheat and 262 tons of flour were manifested to arrive at Darling Harbour yesterday.

GENERAL MERCHANDISE.

Unless otherwise specified prices are for distributing lots only.

TEA.

Mr. Claud J. Gant offered at auction yesterday, on behalf of Messrs. Claude Healy and Co., 431 packages of Ceylon and Indian teas. All the Ceylons were cleared, prices realised being up to /10½, and all the Indians, except two lines, up to /9½.

JUTE.

Branbags: Spot, 6/6½ per doz.

Cornsacks: Spot, 7/ per doz.

Ore pockets: 16oz, 3/7½ per doz; 20oz, nominal.

Woolpacks: On spot, 2/9½ each.

DRIED FRUIT.

Apricots: Four Crown, /10½ per lb; Three Crown, /10; Two Crown, /9; One Crown, /7½.

Apples: Bulk, /9½ to /10; packets, /10½ to /11 per lb.

Currants: Australian, Four Crown, /6¼ per lb; Three Crown, /6; Two Crown, /5¾; One Crown, /5½; imported Amalias, /6¼; Provincials, /6¼.

Dates: New season's, /3½ per lb.

Figs: Protobens, in 5lb boxes /9; 10oz boxes, at 5/6 per dozen.

Lexias: Five Crown, /5½; Four Crown, /5; seedless raisins, /5; muscat sultanas, /6.

Muscatels, Australian—Trays, Six Crown, 1/0½; Four Crown, /10½; Two Crown, /8; cartons, half-penny more; table raisins, faced /5¾, unfaced /5; muscatels, loose /4. Seeded raisins: Cartons, No. 1 6/4½, No. 2 6/1½ per doz; loose, No. 1 /5¾, No. 2 /5 per lb. Pears, /11; apples, 1/6 per dozen in lb cartons.

Muscatels: Malaga, 1/1.

Peaches: Four Crown /12½ per lb; Three Crown, /11½; Two Crown, /9; One Crown, /7; plain, /5; American fancy brands, /10.

Prunes: California, /10; French, /10.

Sultanas: Four Crown, /7½; Three Crown, /7¼; Two Crown, /7; One Crown, /6¾.

EASTERN PRODUCE.

Barley: Pearl, 22/6 per cwt in sacks, 22/9 in 56lb bags, parcels 10/ less.

Cocoanut, desiccated: /8½ per lb, or 10/6 a doz of 1lb tins.

Oatmeal: 7lb bags, 23/6 per cwt; flaked 5lb bags, 25/6 per cwt; 2lb packets, 5/9 per doz; rolled oats, 5lb bags 25/6 per cwt, 2lb packets 5/9; special brands, 7/6 per doz.

Ginger: Whole bleached /8½, ground loose /9, tins to /10, preserved /8½.

Haricot Beans: 9/ per bushel, sack lots; small quantities, 10/6.

Maize Meal: 7lb bags, 17/ per cwt; 3lb bags, 18/ per cwt.

Peas: Blue, boiling, 9/6 per bushel; split, 1½cwt sacks, 16/3.

Rice: Best China, £26/10/ per ton of 40 mats; best Japan, £27/10/; locally-dressed, from £20 to £22 per ton, according to grade, in 56lb bags; 10/ more for small lots; Island, £13 (in bond) per ton.

Seeds: Canary, 20/ per cwt in sacks, 25/6 per cwt in bags, birdseed, 24/ per cwt in sacks, 2lb bags 6/ doz; hemp, sacks, 21/; linseed, whole sacks 22/, 56's 22/6 per cwt; linseed, crushed, sacks 23/, 56's 24/ per cwt; rape 21/6 per cwt.

Spices: Cloves, 1/3 per lb; mace, 3/3 per lb for whole, 3/5 for ground; pimento, /5½ per lb; carraway seeds, whole /9 per lb; ground /10 per lb; pepper, pure white, whole 1/1, ground 1/1½ per lb, in 7lb bags, 1/2; pure black, whole /11, loose /11½, in 7lb bags, /11½; cinnamon, whole or ground 1/8 per lb; mixed spice, loose /9, 1oz packets 1/; nutmeg, case lots 1/10, smaller lots 1/ to 1/2.

Tapioca: Seed, sacks, 19/ per cwt; medium pearl, 20/ per cwt; flaked tapioca, 28/ per cwt, /6 extra for 56lb bags.

Wheatmeal, in 7lb bags, 15/ per cwt.

GROCERIES.

Candles: Imported Goudas, /7¼; D.R.J., /7¼; local makes from /4½ to /6¼.

Clothes pegs: 5in 4/, 4½in 3/8 to 3/9 per box.

Fruit, tinned: No. 1 grade, assorted, 11/; No. 2 grade, 10/ per dozen; peaches, 12/6 per dozen; pears, 10/ to 11/; pineapples, first-grade, to 7/6.

Hops: Crown, 1/9 per lb; Golden Cross, 1/9.

Jams: Australian brands, No. 1 in 2lb tins, 7/8, in 1lb tins, 4/; No. 2, in 2lb tins, 7/2, in 1lb tins 3/10 per dozen.

Lemon peel, /6; citron, /10½; orange, /6 per lb.

Milk: Sweetened, Gold Medal Brand and Nestle's, 26/6 per case of 48 tins; Milkmaid and Creambrook, 24/; Milkmaid, Swiss, 30/ per case unsweetened; Ideal and Viking (1lb), 21/ case of 48 tins; Ideal and Viking (½lb), 23/ per case of 96 tins; coffee and milk, 30/6 per case of 48 tins; chocolate and milk, 43/ per case of 48 tins; cocoa and milk, 38/6 per case of 48 tins, 6d per case extra charged on all brands for less than 10-case lots. Standard Milk, 24/ per case for 5-case lots, and 24/6 per case for single-case lots.

Matches: Wax vestas, 3/6 to 3/6½, 24's and 12's; Australian, 12's, 3/4½ to 3/5½; safeties, 2/3 to 6/9; phosphorus, 3/7½.

Nuts: Walnuts, /8; Brazil, 1/; Barcelona, /8; almonds, soft-shelled, /8½; ditto, Jordans, 2/3; pea, roasted, /6½.

Rocksalt: Liverpool, red, ex store, 10/ per ton; white, 75/.

Salt: Adelaide, coarse, 62/6; crude, 50/; refined, coarse, 67/6; floss, 72/6; extra fine, 75/; dairy, finest, 85/ a ton; Liverpool, coarse, 72/6; fine, 80/ per ton.

Salmon: Scroll, talls, 12/ per doz 1lb tins; flats, 1lb tins, 12/6; halves, 8/, in distributing lots; Karluk Horseshoe, 9/4½; Monarch, flats 10/3, halves 6/9; Unicorn, talls 9/, halves 6/9; Gold Coin, talls, 9/.

Salt fish: Herrings, 25/, in half-barrels; salmon, half-barrels, nominally, /6 per lb; ling, /5½.

Sardines: Tref., halves 6/9, quarters 4/9 to 5/; ordinary brands, halves 4/3 to 4/9, quarters 2/6 to 3/; eights, 2/.

Whiting: Gostling's, 110/ to 120/ per ton; local makes, 65/ to 70/.

CHEMICALS.

Ammonia, chloride, or galvanisers' crystals, £36 to £40 per ton; battery crystals, £45.

Arsenic: £24 per ton.

Bluestone (Macclesfield): £30 per ton.

Borax: Powder, £24; lump, £23 to £24; in parcels, in cwt kegs, 3cwt kegs, 10/ less; boracic, £42 per ton.

Cream of tartar: 95 per cent., /9½; 98 per cent., /11¼ to /11½.

Carb. ammonia: B.M., lump, in 3cwt cases, /6 per lb; powdered, /7½ per lb.

Caustic potash (electrolytic): 90 per cent., £42 per ton.

Cyanide: /9 per lb.

Citric acid: Spot, 1/6½ per lb.

Carbide: Leading brands, not less than half-ton lots, £14/15/; other brands, £14/5/, in not less than half-ton lots: motor light, £16; similar quantities, 10/ more, net cash in 30 days.

Phosphorus: In 10lb tins, 2/ per lb.

Rosin, in parcels, "G" grade £16/10/; "N" grade, £17/5/; distributing lots, 5/ more.

Sodas: Bicarbonate (Brunner Mond), £7/17/6 to £8, in 3's, to £8/10/ in 1's, distributing lots 9/ per cwt; mineral water strength, tinted (Brunner Mond), £7/5/ to £7/10/; caustic, Muspratt's, 70 to 72 per cent., in parcels, £13/10/; Greenbank, 76 to 77 per cent., in parcels, £14/10/; Brunner Mond, 70 to 72 per cent., £13/10/ on spot, 2/6 less to arrive; D.M., 76 to 77 per cent., £14/10/; silicate soda, liquid, £7 for parcels, lump, £8/5/, parcels; soda ash, £8 in 10's, £8/5/ in 5's, £8/15/ in 3's (nominally).

Strychnine: Spot, 2/7½ per oz.

Sulphur, flowers of: £9 common, £14 best.

Tartaric acid, 1/2½ per lb.

OILS.

Benzoline: 1/11 per gallon; gasoline, 2/9 per gallon.

Benzine: 1/5 to 1/8 per gallon.

Castor oil, machinery: Distributing, 3/3 in ten half-case lots.

China, pure, No. 2, 5/9, denatured (under Customs supervision), 3/6 per gallon.

Cotton seed oil: First brands 6/9, second 5/4, in cases, according to quality; bean oil, refined 5/3.

Kerosene (per gallon): Snowflake, ex store, Sydney and Newcastle, /11¼; Light or Age, /11¼; Argolite, Australian, /11¼; Royal Day Light engine kerosene, /9¼, f.o.b. or f.o.b. Sydney and Newcastle; Petrolite engine kerosene, /9¼.

Cod: Norwegian, 2/2; Newfoundland, 2/3; Japanese, 2/.

Creosote: Pure, 2/ per gallon, in cases; 2/6 in drums; two-gallon tins, 2/9; gallon tin, 1/.

Japanese fish: No. 1 Yokohama herring, 1/7 per gallon.

Linseed oil (per gallon): First brands, spot, raw, 4/6, double-boiled 4/8, second brands 4/5 and 4/6; locally-manufactured, raw, casks 4/4, cases 4/6, drums 4/9, boiled /2 extra.

Lucca: C. and B., half-pints 11/6, pints 21/, quarts 40/ per doz.

Motor-car spirit: 1/9 4-gallon tin, 1/11 2-gallon tins.

Naptha: 1/8 per gallon.

Neatsfoot: Pure, 2/9 per cask, 3/ per drum, net; compound, 2/3 to 2/6.

Olive Oil: South Australian, 33/ dozen reputed quarts, 16/6 per dozen pints; imported, 9/6 per gallon.

Oleine: Dark, £27; pale £30 per ton net naked.

Rosin oil: 6/7 per gallon.

Rapeseed: No. 1 5/3; Colza, recognised brands, 6/.

Redleads: First brand, £31 in cwts, 32 in qrs, second brands, £1 per ton less.

Soya bean oil: 5/6 to 5/9.

Stockholm tar, imported: Best 7/6 parcels, 7/3 distributing; Morrison's 5/9 to 6/, parcels distributing.

Turpentine (per gallon): Pratt's, distributing lots 3/6, parcels 3/5; Pinetree, 3/ to 3/3, according to quantity; Socony mineral turpentine, 1/9.

Whitelead: First brands, 38/6 per cwt; second brands, 36/, 35/, /6 per cwt on these prices.

Whale: Machine, filtered, 2/4 to 2/6 net wholesale; crude, 2/.

Wool-marking oils: Australian, black 2/9, according to brand; other colours, 3/9; imported, from 5/ leading brands.

Zinc, white: Dry, Australian Red Seal, £31/10/ per ton net, £33 in small lots net; English, in oil, £30 first brands, £1 less for second brands.

METALS.

Axes: Kelly's, to 42/ per doz; Plumb's, 50/; Collin's Australian, 46/.

Bar iron: £12; shoeing iron, £13 a ton.

Cartridges: 12gr. C.F.E., 12/6; 22-calibre, R.F., black powder, 13/3 short, 14/6 long; smokeless, 14/9 to 16/.

Cement: Imported, 15/ per cask, local, 13/6 for three bags on trucks Darling Harbour.

Explosives: Dynamite, 48/; gelignite, 42/; gelatine dynamite, 51/6; blast gelatine, 56/6; blasting powder, /6½ per lb; fuse, first brands double tape, /8¼; blue jacket, /5¼ per coil, in case of 200 coils; broken lots, ½d per coil extra.

Fencing Wire: Black, English No. 10, ex store, £9/10/; German, ex store, No. 8, £8/2/6; ex wharf, £8; No. 10, £8/12/6; American, No. 8, £8/2/6; No. 10, £8/12/6; galvanised, German, No. 8, £12, to arrive, £11; No. 8, £10/5/; No. 10, £10/15/; No. 12, £12; American, No. 8, £12, to arrive, £11; No. 8, £10/5/ to £10/10/; No. 10, £10/15/; No. 12, £11/15/.

Barbed wire: Australian 12-gauge, close set, £15/7/6, long set, £15/12/6 per ton; 14-gauge, close set £16/12/6, long set £16/17/6, special 12-gauge, close set £17/15/, long set £19/5/; special 14-gauge, close set £19, long set £19/5/; ½-cwt rolls, 10/ a ton extra; American, Iowa, No. 12-gauge, £15/2/6 to £15/7/6; No. 14-gauge, £16; long-distance, English £16/17/6 to £18 for 12-gauge respectively.

Galvanised iron, corrugated: First brands, £19/15/, second brands £19/5/, third brands £18/15/, in 8ft lengths; in 9ft lengths, 15/ more; 10ft lengths, 20/ more than 8ft.

Galvanised iron, plain, 24, 26, and 28 gauge: First brands, £19, £20/5/, £20/15/; 10/ less for second brands 24 and 26 gauge, 5/ less for second brands 28-gauge.

Guttering and downpiping: 40 to 45 per cent. off list.

Galvanised roofing screws: 30/ per cwt.

Hoop iron: Galvanised, £17/5/ for regular sizes, 10/ extra in cwt; black, £13/5/.

Hayforks: 5ft 3-prong, 21/; 5½ft, 22/6, 6ft, 23/6, 6½ft, 27/6, 7ft, 28/ per dozen.

Iron tanks: 100-gal., 27/6 to 30/, 400-gal., 75/ to 80/, 200-gal., 35/ to 42/6.

Lead: Sheet, £24/5/ a ton in full rolls, 25/3 per cwt in cut rolls; pig lead, £22/10/ a ton; lead pipes, in coils, 29/ per cwt; lead pipes, in 10ft length, 31/ per cwt.

Wire netting: Australian, rabbit-proof: 42 x 1½ x 17, A, £28/10/; 42 x 1½ x 17, B, £36/15/; 42 x 1½ x 18, A, £29/12/6; 42 x 1½ x 18, B, £28/17/6; 42 x 1½ x 17, A, £34/15/; 42 x 1½ x 18, B, £31/12/6; 42 x 1½ x 17, A, £30/10/; 42 x 1½ x 19, B, £23/5/; 36 x 1½ x 17, A, £34/10/; 36 x 1½ x 17, B, £31/17/6; 36 x 1½ x 18, A, £25/17/6; 36 x 1½ x 18, B, £24/15/; 36 x 1½ x 17, A, £29/17/6; 36 x 1½ x 17, B, £27/12/6; 36 x 1½ x 18, A, £21/10/; 36 x 1½ x 18, B, £20/10/. Imported: 42 x 1½ x 17, A, 32cwt, £35/10/; 42 x 1½ x 17, A, Whitecross, 32cwt, £36; 42 x 1½ x 17, B, 28½cwt, £33; 42 x 1½ x 17, A, 28cwt, £31/10/; 42 x 1½ x 17, B, Whitecross, 26cwt, £27; 42 x 1½ x 18, D, 18cwt £22; 36 x 1½ x 17, B, W.U., 25cwt, £27/10/; 36 x 1½ x 18, B, W.U., 18¼cwt, £22/10/; 36 x 1½ x 17, B, J.C.M., 21¼cwt, £23/10/; 36 x 1½ x 18, B, Summit, 16cwt, £17/10/.

Plaster: King's Windsor, spot, 18/6.

Perforated zinc: 5/ parcels, 5/3 distributing.

Pipings and fittings: English-made, first brands, black 60½, off list; galvanised, 56½; steam, 56½; other brands discount 2½ per cent. more.

Quicksilver: 2/5 per lb.

Rabbit traps: Griffiths, tanks, 9/6, open 9/9; Jump-traps, 8/.

Scythe blades: B.Y., 26in, 34/ per dozen.

Steel sheets: Black, 8 to 16 gauge, 12/6 cwt basis.

Tin: Ingots, 2/4 per lb.

Tin: Sheets, 6ft x 3ft, 40/ per cwt.

Tinplates: I.C., coke 20 x 14, 17/, parcels; 20 x 28, coke, 37/3, parcels.

Wire gauze: 36 green, 25/ per roll of 100ft, or trade lots 24/; 36 galvanised, 37/; trade lots, 36/.

Zinc sheets: £37/10/ a ton in 5cwt casks, for parcels.

Wire nails: According to revised list, net for one to nineteen case lots, 2½ per cent. off for 20-case lots and over; broken stock, 1/ per cwt extra.

Three thousand eight hundred and eighty-six bales of wool were manifested to arrive at Darling Harbour yesterday.

INTERSTATE MARKETS.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

Old wheat made 4/, new wheat, December delivery, 3/8, January, about 3/7. Flour was reduced 5/ to £9/10/. Bran was steady at £6/5/; pollard £7. Barley was nominal. Oats were dull, spot Algerians, 2/10½ to 3/. Maize, spot, was quiet at 4/10½. Inquiry was active for January sales at 4/1½ ex store, early, and 4/3 f.o.b. Peas were nominal at 4/ to 4/2. Chaff was easier at £4/10/ to £5/5/, occasionally £5/7/6. Hay made £6 to £6/10/. Straw, 40/ to 45/, Tasmanian, 65/. Potatoes were a shade easier. Snowflakes were scarce, nominally up to £10; Brighton Carmens and Western District Pinkeyes, £10 to £10/10/, some asking £10/15/. Onions were weaker at £5/10/ to £5/15/. Butter was firm at /10½ to /11; cheese, /6 to /6½. Eggs were firmer at 1/ to 1/1. The tea sales included 250 packages of Ceylons, partly for export. Grocery houses were busy with Christmas orders. Branbags were firmer at 6/5 to 6/6; cornsacks, 7/3 to 7/4½. Harvesting tools were selling freely.

ADELAIDE, Tuesday.

Wheat was weaker. Old and new farmers' lots were on a par at 3/6 to 3/7 trucks Port Adelaide. A parcel of 5000 bags were turned over, December delivery, at 3/7½, nominal value f.o.b. 3/8. Flour was steadily at £8/15/ to £9 f.o.b., £9/5/ to £9/10/ delivered. Bran and pollard were unaltered at 1/2½ delivered, 1/2 f.o.b. Algerian oats were offering at 2/8 f.o.b., buyers holding back. New season's samples of barley are coming forward fairly freely. For growers' lots, Cape, 2/3 to 2/6, trucks Port Adelaide was offered, and 2/8 to 2/9 for English malting was being bid, but very little business was doing. Hay was unchanged at 2/6 prompt delivery. Chaff made £5 f.o.b. prompt shipment. Cornsacks were firm at 7/ to 7/3. Branbags were quiet at 6/3. Butter firmed at auction: factory 11½ to /12½, dairy /10 to /11, stores /8½ to /9½. Eggs were steady at /10½. Cheese was easier at /6½ to /7½; honey, /3½; almonds, /6; Brandis, kernels, 1/3½. Bacon was weaker at /9½ to /10 for sides; hams, /11 to 1/.

BRISBANE, Tuesday.

As the produce sale proceeded this morning, the demand for potatoes became weaker. Prices were very little altered from the previous day and bidding was practically confined below 10/6. Maize is quiet and unchanged, and little interest seems to be taken in lucerne-chaff. The market quotations were:—Maize, 3/11 to 4/0½; chaff, lucerne, 2/2 to 3/5, mixed 2/4 to 3/5; hay, 2/6 to 3/11; potatoes, new, 6/ to 12/9; sweet potatoes, 6/9.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

In the live stock market to-day 45,000 fat sheep were yarded. All qualities were fully represented, the bulk of the supply, however, consisting of medium and useful grade ewes. There was a spirited demand throughout. Best wethers were eagerly purchased by the trade at fully late rates. Moderate and serviceable weight merinos were fairly represented, and for such prices ruled a shade firmer. All grades of fat ewes met with the additional competition of exporters, prices for such ruling in some instances 6d per head higher. The grazing demand was keen, especially for all lots of young crossbreds, while inferior descriptions sold readily at slightly advanced rates.

Quotations: Prime crossbred wethers, from 17/ to 19/; good ditto ditto, from 15/6 to 16/6; second ditto ditto, bought by graziers, from 13/ to 14/6, with two-tooth mixed sexes from 10/6 to 12/9; prime crossbred ewes, from 14/ to 16/; extra, to 16/9; good, from 12/9 to 14/; seconds, mostly moderately fat and medium weights, from 9/6 to 11/9; old and inferior, from 7/ to 8/6. A few small pens of choice quality merino wethers sold from 14/9 to 16/; good, from 12/9 to 14/6; seconds, from 10/6 to 12/; inferior, from 8/; with merino ewes, from 5/ to 12/.

Fat lambs: 30,000 were penned. The demand was brisk. Prices showed a firmer tendency on last week's improved rates. Prime sold from 14/6 to 16/; extra, from 16/9 to 18/9; good, from 13/ to 14/; second, from 10/6 to 11/6; interior, from 8/ to 9/6; best shorn lambs, from 12/6 to 13/9; extra, 14/ to 16/3; good, from 11/ to 12/; others, from 7/6.

LONDON MARKET CABLES.

SILVER.

LONDON, Dec. 3, 7.35 p.m.

Bar silver was quoted to-day at 29 5-16d per ounce standard, an advance of 3-16d.

THE WOOL SALES.

At the wool sales to-day there was a good demand for all classes. Merinos were without change. Crossbreds were firm.

Dec. 3, 4.15 a.m.

The following prices were realised for the clips mentioned Steam Plains, highest 14d, average 12 3-8d; Atlas works, 25d, 18 7-8d; Anyang, 14d, 10½d; Sherlock, 10½d, 9½d; Hawker, 13d, 12 1-8d; Doondi, 13½d, 12d; Willshot, 13½d, 13 1-8d; Boatman, 22½d, 21 7-8d; New Zealand Castle, 14½d, 13½d.

THE WHEAT MARKETS.

The wheat markets were quiet and easier yesterday. Liverpool futures were quoted:—December, 7/2 3-8; March, 7/2 7-8; May, 7/1⅞ per cental.

METALS.

Closing quotations yesterday were:—

Copper, on spot, b £77, s £77/5/ per ton (12/6 up); at three months, b £77/16/9, s £78/1/3 per ton (13/9 up).

Electrolytic copper, £82 per ton (5/ up).

Tin, on spot, b £228/10/, s £229 per ton (£2/10/ up); at three months, b £227/10/, s £228 per ton (£2 up).

Lead, soft, foreign, b £18, s £18/2/6 per ton (unchanged).

METAL STATISTICS.

Statistics of tin and copper for last month, the previous month, and November, 1911, are:—

COPPER.

	Nov., 1912. Tons.	Oct., 1912. Tons.	Nov., 1911. Tons.
Supplies	38,768	35,612	36,263
Deliveries	41,828	37,216	39,416
Stocks	40,716	43,300	58,682
Afloat from Australia	6,300	5,600	6,350
European visible supply	43,281	..	..

TIN.

	Nov., 1912. Tons.	Oct., 1912. Tons.	Nov., 1911. Tons.
Stocks	13,697	11,742	17,391
Deliveries	2,870	3,547	4,817
Afloat	4,608	3,745	2,167
Spot and landing	1,573	2,109	6,181

TALLOW MOVEMENTS.

The movements of tallow for last month, the previous month, and November, 1911, were:—

	Nov., 1912. Tons.	Oct., 1912. Tons.	Nov., 1911. Tons.
Stocks	3,225	3,932	3,711
Imports	2,057	3,128	3,106
Deliveries	2,764	6,681	2,818

PRODUCE.

DAIRY.

STRONG BUTTER MARKET.

A strong feeling permeated the butter market yesterday. The official quotation was 100/, but some operators stated that they were easily obtaining to 104/ per cwt for export to London and Eastern ports. The home position continues quiet. It is said that from the amount of trade that is being done one would almost be led to the belief that the public had stopped eating butter. Advices from New Zealand indicate that some very conservative London buyers appear anxious to do business, and there seems to be every likelihood of securing /11¼ per lb for selected brands for December shipments.

Eggs were firmer. There was a good demand for new-laid suburban, and holders were enabled to command higher rates. For choice selected lots up to 1/3 was realised. Ordinary brands moved out at from 1/1 to 1/2 per dozen. Case eggs were also better property. South Coasts and Railways were in strong hands at from 1/ to 1/1, while Northern Rivers were not to be had under 1/. New-laid duck eggs were in demand at from /11 to 1/.

There was no change in cheese. Local makes were dull and difficult to move at from /7½ to /7¾ per lb. Queensland samples were offering at concessions on these rates. Some of the big New Zealand butter factories have effected the change in their plants, and are now manufacturing cheese. The export inquiry in the Dominion is weak, and factories are consigning in the hope that something may come along and improve the English market.

Poultry cleared freely at full rates. It is only three weeks to Christmas, and the thrifty housewife is beginning to secure the provender necessary to tide her over the festive season. Muscovy drakes were selling well at from 4/ to 5/ per pair. Old hens were worth anything to 4/.

The bacon market is showing a steadily improving tendency. Prime factory sides are commanding from /9 to /9½ per lb. Special brands bring to /10½. Flitches and middles are plentiful, but values are well maintained.

Quotations were:—

DAIRY PRODUCE.

Bacon.—Best factory sides, prime /9 to /9½; special brands, /10½; heavy sides, /8; flitches, /7½ to /8; special brands, /9¼; heavy and fat, /7; middles, /9½ to /10; special brands, 1/; shoulders, /6 to /6½; special brands, /7¼; bacon hams, nominally, 1/; special brands, 1/1½ (nominal) per lb.

Butter.—New South Wales selected grocers' brands, 100/; second quality, 89/ to 95/; pastry, 78/ per cwt.

Cheese.—Prime loaf, /7½ to /7¾, rough from /6 to /6½; special brands, /9¼ per lb.

Eggs.—Suburban new-laids, 1/1 to 1/3; railways, 1/ to 1/1; rivers, /11 to 1/; duck eggs, /11 to 1/1 per dozen.

Hams.—Single cloth, 1/; special brands, 1/2¼, double cloth, 1/2 to 1/2½; special brands, 1/3 per lb.

Honey.—60lb tins of choice western, /3; candied, /2½; dark, /2; Hunter River, /2¼; Northern Rivers, /2 per lb.

Lard.—Bulk, /7½, pats /8½; special brands, bulk, /8½; pats, /8¾ per lb.

POULTRY.

Railway and River Consignments.—Old hens, extra choice 3/6 to 4/, good 3/ to 3/3; roosters, extra choice 5/ to 5/6, good 4/ to 4/6, small 2/9 to 3/; chickens, large 2/, small /9 to 1/; mixed coops, 3/ to 3/6; English ducks, 3/ to 4/; Muscovy, choice 3/ to 4/6; drakes, 4/ to 4/6, choice 5/; geese, nominal; guineafowls, 5/ to 5/6; turkeys, gobblers (nominal) 15/ to 20/, good 10/ to 12/; hens, choice 10/, good 7/6 to 8/, small 6/; pigeons, 1/6 to 1/9 per pair.

Messrs. Mossman and Ellis report having obtained the following prices at their auction sale yesterday:—Eggs: Case, /11½ to /13; new-laid, /13 to /13½; choice suburban, to /14; duck, to /13½ per dozen. Fowls: Young roosters, 4/6 to 6/6, choice suburban to 8/; small, from 2/; fat hens, 3/6 to 3/9, choice suburban to 4/9. Ducks: English, 3/9 to 4/6, choice suburban to 5/6; Muscovy, old to 5/, choice young to 7/6, drakes (Muscovey) 7/6 to 9/9. Turkeys: Hens, choice to 17/; cocks, choice, to 35/ per pair. Geese, to 9/6; guineafowls, to 6/; pigeons, to 2/3 per pair. There was a strong demand for case eggs, and all good conditioned lots realised improved prices. New-laids were also firm. Poultry came forward more freely, and all good quality sold well at fancy prices.

FORAGE AND GRAIN.

VICTORIAN POTATOES.

The first substantial shipments of interstate potatoes of the season were received from Victoria yesterday, when the Barwon and Kiara between them landed 2000 bags. These consignments, coming on top of Monday's complement of 2300 bags from the Clarence, had a depressing effect upon trade, and agents were glad to accept from £13/10/ to £14 for the new arrivals. Holders of Clarence tubers maintained their price at £16 per ton.

As well as potatoes, the Kiara also had on board 600 bags of Globe onions. These were selling at £7/10/ per ton. Hunter River bulbs brought the same money.

The market for chaff was easier. Some agents were willing to do business at a decline of fully 5/ per ton. Victorian oaten was variously quoted at from £5/15/ to £6/10/ per ton. There was a brisk inquiry for Adelaide wheaten at from £5/15/ to £6/10/. Western Australian wheaten moved out at from £5/15/ to £6/7/6.

There were 18 truckloads of firewood submitted at auction. Prices were slightly cheaper. Best box cleared at 18/3.

Quotations were:—

FORAGE.

Chaff.—Victorian: Wheaten, £5/10/ to £6; oaten, best £5/10/ to £6/5/. Adelaide: Wheaten, best, £5/15/ to £6/10/. Tasmanian: Oaten, £6 to £6/5/. Western Australia: Wheaten, best £5/15/ to £6/7/6; oaten, £6 per ton.

Lucerne Hay.—Hunter River, best summer hay, large bales £4/10/, small £5; second-class, new, £4; inferior, new, from £3/10/ per ton.

Derrick Straw.—Tasmanian: Oaten and wheaten, £3/5. Victorian: Nominal.

Oaten Hay.—£6 per ton.

GRAIN AND BY-PRODUCTS.

Barley.—None offering.

Broom Millet.—Prime long hurl, £28 to £30, short and self-working, £26 to £28; discoloured and crooked, from £25 per ton.

Maize.—Northern Rivers, prime 4/3 to 4/6, weevily from 4/ up; prime dry white, 4/3 to 4/4; South African, 4/2 to 4/3; North Queensland, 4/2 per bushel.

Oats.—Tasmanian: White Sparrowbills, 3/6; Giants, prime 3/7; Algerian, 3/9, almost nominal; Tartarian: 3/10 to 3/11; New Zealand: "A" Gartons, 3/7.

Peas.—Tasmanian: Blue, choice 5/, second from 5/, grey, prime threshed, 4/6 to 4/8, medium 4/.

Bran.—Association price, £6/10/ per ton.

Pollard.—Association price, £7 per ton.

VEGETABLES.

Potatoes.—Clarence River, prime £16 to £18; New Zealand, £13 to £14 per ton; Victorian, £13/10/ to £14 per ton.

Onions.—Victorian: Silverskins £7; Hunter River, £7/10/ per ton; Globes, £7/10/.

FIREWOOD.

Best box, 18/3, good 17/6; best stringy, 15/ to 16/6; ironbark, 14/ to 15/6; best bakers' 16/, good 15/6.

RAILWAY MARKET.

SPIRITED BUSINESS.

Yesterday's offering of fresh lots totalled 113 trucks—a figure one short of Monday's yarding. Chaff, of course, covered nearly all the line. There was a pronounced animation in business, which deflated, certainly as far as chaff is concerned, only a little, as the sale progressed. The demand for chaff was remarkably strong, which tendency was partly fostered by the small manifest boarded. The shed was congested with buyers, and what with carters unloading trucks, auctioneers becoming inspired, buyers causing strife in their efforts to get a sample of the offering, and reporters struggling to pick up sales, the yard took on an appearance of bustle and progress.

Chaff is quoted to-day as fully maintaining late rates. It went off briskly and lacked that enervating forcing noticeable lately. Lucerne hay was in insignificant delivery. Wheat handled privately went off at 4/ several times, but auctioneers had to battle strenuously to touch that figure at auction. Selling agents are endeavouring to regulate the supply of wheat in the Railway and so bolster up prices to a standard which makes the realisation worth while to the consignor.

Wheaten chaff reached 5/10 quite a number of times as top selling price. At 5/9 it knocked down fully on half a dozen occasions and ranged down regularly to 5/, and up more evenly from 3/9 as bottom realisation. A very small fraction of passes were recorded. Oaten was not yarded. A little was done in lucerne. Eight bags of screenings changed hands at 4/7, and thrashings passed at 3/1, included in the one consignment. Nemingha chaff fetched 7/. Green and brown lucerne hay, in big bales, was insufficiently bid at 4/3, but another lot of green sold at 5/. Green derrick pressed realised 4/6.

Produce placed in position for sale:—Chaff 91, hay 4, wheat 15, potatoes 2.

Manifest of projected arrival:—Chaff 47, hay 1, wheat 1, onions 3, potatoes 1.

The following sales were effected:—

Wheaten Chaff.—Lockhead, Scone, (12349) 4/6; R. Lennon, Ganmain, (2767) p 5/9; Lockhead, Scone, (3711) 5/; C. Kelly, Nemingha, (4087) 3/9; Barr and Lockett, Ganmain, (4418) 5/4; Mitchell, Balldale, (12167) 4/3; A. J. Condon, Uranquinty, (16036) 4/6; M. Curtis, Marrar, (12056) 5/9; Kirkman, Woodstock, (11158) 4/5; Ryan Bros., Forbes, (1913) 5/2, (12013) 5/3; Savage, Forbes, (8249) 5/10, (14451) about 21 doubles 5/9, (14884) 5/10; J. Truelove, Illabo, (3570) 5/6, (13019) 5/5; J. Jamison, Marina, (15560) 4/7, (7140) 4/7; Westmacott, Marina, (6055) 4/7; G. Cameron, Wagga, (4905) 5/3; ex Wagga, (3751) 5/6; Jefferson, Wagga, (2770) 4/10; H. Campbell, Bon Accord, (404) 5/3, (10028) 5/3; J. Campbell, Bon Accord, (1901) 5/3, (12865) 5/4; A. Ward, Parkville, (12908) 4/9; C. Kelly, Nemingha, (16609) 4/; ex Wagga Wagga, (5186) 5/6, (14293) 5/6; Troy, Morrison's Hill, (16898) 4/1; Thompson, Parkes, (558) p 5/6; Savage, Forbes, (17726) 5/10, (6826) 5/10; Ryan Bros., Forbes, (5258) 5/3; Savage, Forbes, (17765) 5/9; Curtis, Marrar, (8451) 5/9, (9983) 5/9, (5344) 5/9, (8414) 5/9, (8453) 5/9; Logan, Matong, (11857) 5/6, (755) 5/6, (2646) 5/6; ex Grenfell, (3069) 5/10; Finn, Canowindra, (3320) 4/7; W. H. Rowston, Matong, (9585) 5/7; W. Murray, Wagga, (18017) 5/8; Mitchell, Balldale, (13054) 3/11, (12122) p 3/11 per cwt.

Lucerne Chaff.—W. Ward, Parkville, (6797) 8 bags screenings 4/7, 125 bags thrashings p 3/1; B. Hoban, Nemingha, (4560) 7/ per cwt.

Lucerne Hay.—W. F. Kobey, Muswellbrook, (16501) small, green, and brown, no offer; Sage, Moonbi, (7841) big, green, and brown, p 4/3; Brewer, Wallangarra, derrick pressed green (394) 4/6; G. Kershaw, Moonbi, (6464) big green 5/ per cwt.

Chick-wheat.—Ex Darling Harbour, (10749) 4/; Howard and Son, Parkes, (15945) 3/9 per bushel.

FRUIT MARKETS.

HEAVY SUPPLIES.

Heavy supplies of all classes of fruit were to hand at the Bathurst-street market yesterday morning. Bananas were fractionally easier. G.M.'s were available at from 17/ to 18/ per case, and at from 4/ to 12/ per bunch. Queensland samples cleared at from 11/6 to 12/ per case, and at from 2/ to 6/ per bunch. Many of the cherries coming forward from Victoria are in an overripe condition, and are being sold at from 2/6 down. Prime lots command to 5/ per quarter-case. Local descriptions realise to 6/ for 12lb boxes. Another shipment of Italian lemons is looked for on Thursday. There was a good demand for pineapples. Choice queens were worth from 11/ to 13/. Similar quality commons or Ripleys made to 12/ per case. Queensland rockmelons are coming to hand more freely and are being sold at from 2/ to 3/ per half-case, and from 4/ to 6/ per double case. An improved inquiry was noticeable for cucumbers, choice Queensland bringing from 3/ to 4/ per double case. Queensland passionfruit moved out at from 7/ to 7/6 per quarter case.

Quotations were:—

Apples.—American: 18/ per bushel-case.

Bananas.—G.M., 17/ to 18/ per case, 4/ to 12/ per bunch. Fiji, 14/6 to 15/6 per case, 3/ to 10/ per bunch; choice 7/6 to 8/6 per case. Queensland: 11/6 to 12/ per case, 1/6 to 6/ per bunch; loose, 4/ to 5/ per case.

Cocoanuts.—3/ to 5/ per dozen, 12/6 to 13/6 (nominal) per bag.

Lemons.—Local: Extra choice 14/, choice 12/ to 13/, medium 7/ to 8/, small 5/ to 6/ per gin-case. Italian: 20/ per case of from 150 to 165.

Oranges.—Valencias: Extra choice 16/ to 17/, choice 14/ to 15/, medium 10/to 12/, small 7/ to 8/.

Gooseberries.—Tasmanian or local, 3/ to 5/ per half-bushel-case.

Pineapples.—Queens, choice 11/ to 13/; choice Commons and Ripleys, 10/ to 12/; medium 8/ to 9/, small 4/ to 5/.

Tomatoes.—Queensland: Best 4/ to 5/, medium 3/6 per quarter-case.

Strawberries.—Choice 12/ to 16/, medium 9/ to 10/, small 5/ to 6/ per dozen punnets.

Apricots.—Choice 5/ to 7/, medium 4/ to 4/6, small 3/ to 3/6 per half-case.

Peaches.—King Edward or Briggs, choice 9/ to 10/, medium 5/ to 6/ per half-case, small 3/6 to 4/6 per gin-case; China, choice 5/ to 5/6, medium 4/ per half-case, small 3/ to 4/ per gin-case.

Plums.—Bully's, choice 5/6 to 6/, medium 4/ to 4/6 per half-case; jam lots, dark 6/, light 3/ to 4/ per gin-case.

Cherries.—Local, choice 5/6 to 6/, medium 3/6 to 4/, small 2/ per 12lb box. Victorian: 4/ to 5/, medium 3/6 to 4/, small 2/ per quarter-case.

Rockmelons.—3/ to 4/ per half-case, 4/ to 6/ per double-case.

Passionfruit.—Queensland: 7/ to 7/6 per quarter-case.

Nectarines.—Choice 7/ to 8/, medium 4/ to 5/, small 2/6 to 3/ per half-case.

Cucumbers.—Queensland: 3/ to 4/ per double-case.

MELBOURNE.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

In the Queen Victoria Market to-day, almonds sold at /6 to /9 per lb, apples 8/ to 15/ per case, apricots /2 to /3 per lb, cherries /1 to /3, currants (red) /4 to /6, green gooseberries, /1 to /3, oranges 15/ to 20/ per case; lemons, 10/ to 15/, loquats /2 to /3 per lb, strawberries /5 to /8, walnuts /7 to /9.

PIG SALES.

At the City Yards yesterday 1440 pigs were submitted at public auction. There was a spirited inquiry for porkers, and prices generally improved. Choice quality baconers came in for an active demand, and values ruled equal to best of late rates. Plain sorts were again cheaper. Prime back-fatters were in request, and sold well at full rates. Inferior were dull and cheaper.

Quotations were:—

Prime weighty backfatters, 95/; good and heavy, 80/ to 90/; medium, 60/ to 70/; prime light, 50/ to 55/; inferior, from 35/.

Prime weighty baconers, 64/ to 70/; good and heavy, 58/ to 63/; medium, 50/ to 55/; prime light, 42/ to 48/; light and inferior, from 34/.

Prime weighty porkers, 32/ to 35/; good, 27/ to 30/; prime light, 21/ to 26/; light and inferior, 14/.

PRODUCE RECEIVED BY RAIL.

The following is a return of the produce received at Darling Harbour per rail for the week ended December 3, together with the total to date for the year. For the sake of comparison, the figures for the corresponding period of last year are also given:—

	Week ended Tuesday.	Total to date, 1912.	Total to date, 1911.
Butter, kegs	9	410	357
Butter, cases	4,080	193,205	286,978
Cheese, cases	875	30,825	—
Eggs, cases	640	26,765	20,900
Bacon, bags	3	241	417
Bacon, sides	335	14,902	9,210
Hay, trucks	134	1,584	2,428
Straw	2	205	299
Chaff, trucks	355	10,613	12,641
Oats, tons	—	811	3,033
Barley, tons	25	156	184
Maize, tons	—	5,656	13,829
Meal, tons	—	108	35
Potatoes, tons	8	9,677	38,479
Bran, tons	108	5,829	6,790
Pollard, tons	109	4,819	6,892

WOOL SALES.

SYDNEY.

Wool sales were held yesterday at the Sydney Wool Exchange, Bridge-street, when the quantity catalogued totalled 11,146 bales, and the sales, including private transactions, amounted to 11,427 bales, as under:—

Broker.	Offerings.	Sales. At auction.	Privately, ex catalogue.	Privately, uncatalogued.	Total sales.
Dalgety and Co., Ltd.	6,388	6,182	230	—	6,412
Goldsbrough, Mort, and Co., Ltd.	4,758	4,602	213	200	5,015
Totals	11,146	10,784	443	200	11,427

The market ruled very firm for all descriptions, values being at the best point of the season, and in sellers' favour, as compared with recent sales. Full and satisfactory clearances were made, greasy selling to /15½ and scoured to /23¼.

Dalgety and Co., Ltd., brought forward a catalogue comprising a number of fine, free, super spinning wools, also a fair selection of scoureds. In the grease the highest price was /14½, paid for 6 AAA com e, of GHJ/Tara/New England (Woolbrook), 51 AA com making /14½. This was a bright, attractive super combing, well classed. Other sales were:—HHG/Kilnore/New England (Armidale), 17 1st com w at /14¼, 13 A com at /13¾, 6 B com at /12¼, bright, lofty combing, carefully prepared; Derringullen/ABT/Yass, 6 AA com w h at /12¾, 12 AA com w h at /12½, 18 AA com at /13, 21 A com at /12¾, a fine, soft, weft wool; J/E/Pearshy Hall (Inverell), 15 AAA h at /13, 20 AAA w e at /12½, 6 AAA e at /12, good length, style, and quality; HAC/Glandower/New England (Armidale), 7 sup com at /13¾, fair length, bright, soft, fine; AJS/Marilba (Bowning), 11 A at /13, 6 2nd at /12¾, 6 w e at /12½, lofty, bright, free; Amos/Tulloona (Moree), 11 A e at /13½, 6 AA e at /12½, 9 B e at /12, well bred, stylish; Sidonia (Hay), 18 1st com h at /12½, 8 1st com e at /12, 21 1st com at /11½, good, bulky, warp wool; J&M/Tulacharo/New England (Inverell), 12 1st e at /12, 9 1st e at /12, good length, quality, and condition; Inglesby (Millbrulong), 6 w at /12, 16 e at /12¼, medium length, fine, soft, thin; AA/Yass, 6 e at /12¾, 6 A and B at /12¼, good length, fine, soft free; Amoilla (Hay), 16 1st com h at /12¼, bulky, well bred, robust; Ogilvie/Iparran/New England (Matheson), 29 A com w at /13¼, 35 A com w at /12¾, 25 A com w at /13¼, 12 B com at /12, bright, soft, fine; BUK/Bundey Creek (Duramana), 20 AA w at /13½, 16 A w at /12¾, 16 A w at /13¼, 32 A at /12¾, 7 at /12½, deep-grown, lofty; Bellevue/Glencoe/New England, 16 w at /13½, 10 h e at /12¼, 17 2nd at /12½, bright, soft, spinning wool; TIA (Walcha), 41 1st w at /13¼, 41 2nd w at /12¼, superfine quality, soft, free; Therribri (Boggabri), 17 1st com e at /12¼, 19 1st com e at /11¾, fair length, good quality, dry, dusty; JP/Dundee/New England, 8 w at /13¼, 16 w e at /13¼, super quality, good length, bright, soft, C. Bell in dia/Cambalong (Bombala), 30 AA com at /12, 14 AA com w at /12½, well grown, useful combing; Ball Bros./Big River, (Bingara), 39 AAA w at /13½, 51 AAA w at /13½, 12 AAA e at /13, 18 AA w at /12, fair length, dry, fine, lofty; Pintris/Karoola (Inverell), 16 1st com w at /13, good quality, dry, nice handle; KAL (Hay), 18 1st com at /12, good length and quality, very fair condition; N/Yarras, 19 1st com e at /12½, deep-grown, broad quality, fair condition; JJ/M (Berrima), 6 bbd h at /13½, fair length, light, dry condition. Scoured: Kallara (Louth), 23 A com at /22½, 57 1st com at /22, good colour, dry, well scoured.

Goldsbrough, Mort, and Co., Ltd., offered a good catalogue of fine quality wools, some by their tender staple denoting bad growing conditions. In the grease the highest price was /15½ paid for 8 1st com h of CB/Woodstock/New England (Armidale), a bright, attractive condition and quality. Other sales were:—Coombing/Park (Carcoar), 11 A w h e at /14½, 15 A e at /13½, 30 AA w e at /12¾, 20 A a at /12¼, bright, good length, fine, nice condition; JLM/Invergowrie/New England (Armidale), 75 A and 1st com at /14½, 24 2nd com w at /13, 25 pieces at /12¼, bulky, well grown, sound, wasty backs; W in heart/Nerstane/New England (Armidale), 6 com h at /13½, 12 com w at /13¼, 12 com e at /13¾, 18 clo at /12¼, attractive, fine, soft, good condition; RG/Orong Grong (Narrandera), 20 1st com at /12¾, 18 1st com at /11¾, fair length, good quality, light; Farnley/GS (Nundle), 41 w e at /12¼, good staple and quality, generous condition; JTB/Trigvale (Nundle), 12 e at /12¼, 8 h w e at /12¼, 6 w e at /12¼, good quality, length, and condition; EP/A/Mudgee, 9 w e at /12¼, bright, soft, fair length, fine; 6J (Gowrie), 16 1 at /12¼, fine, soft, fair length; MMC (Coolac), 10 A e at /13, fine, bright, good staple, little tender; WAA/Tilpa/New England (Armidale), 18 h w e at /14½, good length, quality, and condition; ACA/Boona, 19 w e at /12, short staple, fine, nice condition; RAJ/Scone, 8 1st com h e /13¾, 12 1st com w at /12¾, good length, soft, fine; GT Pitt (Dubbo), 12 A at /12¾, medium staple, fine, soft; C/Angle/New England (Uralla), 21 1st com w at /12¾, fair length, fine, soft; G/Glenugie/Scone, 20 h w e at /12¾, good staple and quality, nice condition; PP/Limbri, 8 w at /12¾, good quality and length, party heavy; WJ/G (Gundagai), 14 xb at /12¼, light, good staple, little free; gular; 7/RH/B (Barraba), 12 1st h e at /12¾, fine, medium staple, touched with seed; Longwood (Narrandera), 12 1st w e at /12½, 12 xb at /12¼, fine, soft, fair length, little ticky; Black Springs (Goonoo Goonoo), 18 h w e at /12, good staple and quality, nice condition, part heavy; MC/Y (Nundle), 11 w e at /12¼, good length and quality, odd burr; JM/Moonan (Moonan Flat), 23 w at /12¾, good staple, generous condition; Murrumbong/SRW (Wellington), 9 e at /12, fair length, fine, little tender.

Scoured.—Bellsgrove (Bourke), 25 w e at /23¼, good colour and condition, free.

The Co-operative Wool and Produce Company, Ltd., offered on Monday, 3880 bales, comprising a good average catalogue. Their highest price in the grease was /13½, realised for 11 bales 1st and AAA com from the Cressfield/H/LL clip, belonging to Mr. David Hall, Cressfield, Parkeville. This wool was of fine spinning quality and very bright. Other clips in their catalogue to reach /13 were OJH/Haning /13¼, for 17 bales Scone; Garangula, to /13, for 13 bales sup com e /11 other lots from this clip made 1/ or over); O/V/New England, to /13, for 11 bales 2nd com w (6 bales 1st com w were withdrawn at /13½); Springvale/L (rev.) Ill. (conj.), to /13, for 15 bales A xb. Their highest price in the scoured was /21¾, realised for 12 bales A fleece branded CCP/Rose Isle. Particulars of the leading sales are as follow:—Cressfield/H/LL (Parkeville), 11 1st com and AAA com w /13½, 8 1st com e /13, 8 1st com as and A com e /12¼, 6 2nd com e /12, 9 2nd com w /11¾, 17 bbs w and e /11, bels /8½; OJH/Haning (Bundemar), 17 A /13¼; Garangula (Harden), 13 sup com e /13, 10 sup com e and 1st com e /12¾, 10 1st com e h, w and w h at /12¾, 2nd com /12¼, 9 AA e /12¾, 10 AA e /12¾, 11 AA e /12, 10 B e /11¼, 1st abs to /12, bbs /11, pcs to /10¼, bels /8½, lbs /4, 7 sup lbs /12¼, 12 A lbs /10, 6 1st lbs /11¼, 12 A xb /12¼, 14 AA xb /13¼, 11 pcs xb /9½; O/V/New England, 11 2nd com w /12, 37 clo w /12¼, 16 B w /11¼, 27 1st pcs w /10¼, 14 2nd pcs w /9½, 9 bels w /8¼, 8 lbs w /8¼; WC/Jugiong, 24 e /12¼, 15 h /13¼, 24 w /11¼; WD/Jugiong (Muttama), 12 h and e /12; curve/D/Springvale (Gundagai), 9 1st e /12; D'Angle/Sunbury (Trundle), 56 1st w h and e /11¼, 17 1st b w /11, 1st pcs /9½; MK/Coronet (Coolabah), 20 A e and w /11¼, 12 A pcs /10; Springvale/LHL (conj.) (Wingen), 10 AA w /10¼, 6 AA e /11¼, 7 h /11¼, 15 xb A w e and w h /13, 15 xb AA w e and e /12¼; ML (conj.) (Balderodgery), 20 w /11, 16 w /10, 13 xb /10¼; Bellevue/F (Dubbo), 15 1st xb /9¼, 6 1st pcs xb /8¼; DM and HLB/Inverary Par (Bungonia), 6 e /12, 6 e w and h /11; B. Bros. (Scone), 40 1st w at /11¼, 25 1st C xb w at /10¼, 11 1st C xb pcs w /9¼, 6 lks m /3¼; CMF/Yass/Cattle Camp (Yass), 10 w /11, 4 f pcs /10¼; WR and Sn/Somerton (Lake Bathurst), 44 AA w and e xb /11¼, 41 A w and e xb /11, 20 1st w xb /10¼, 32 pcs w and e xb /10¼, 9 lks xb /4¼; TB/Pilbon (Mundooran), 29 w e h /11; Mungeribar/TB (Sunnervale), 21 1st com w /11, 18 a com /11¾, 38 A com w /10¼, 2nd com w /10¼, hkn to /10¼, 1st com xb /11¼; AJB/Boondara (Mossgiel), 30 A w /10¼, 38 A w c /9¼, ns to /9¼, pcs to /9, 13 A lbs xb /8¼, 44 AA lbs xb /10; Little Oakey/—/RT (Dunedoo), 7 A w /11¼, 6 1st w /12¼; JDW/M (Fifield), 21 w and A e f /11; GTE (conj.)/Rosedale (Lansdale), 7 1st com w /11, 11 1st 6 w h and e /10¼, 9 1st pcs /9; RBB/Camilla, 16 1st f /11, 12 2nd f /10¼; Cape/Kooramine (Monteagle), 6 AA xb e /12¼; TMR (Yeoval), 25 e and w /11¼; HN/Barham/Mudgee, 7 1st 6 /11¼, 8 2nd f /11; JHB (conj.)/Daytonia/Inverell, 16 1st 6 w /12¼, 7 2nd 6 w /11¼, 8 xb e and w /11¼; KIN/Summer/Hill (West Wyalong), 7 A w and e /11¾, 12 A e w h and e h /11¼, 8 pcs /9¼; W/Coo-ee/Dungowan, 25 w /10¼, 14 e /10, 6 lks /4¼. Scoured: Gx/Alabama (Naranders), 6 1st com /19¼; Mungeribar/TB (Narromine), 7 AA com /19¼, 17 bkn /17¼, 26 sup fne xb /18, 18 sup xb /16¼, 33 bkn xb /13¼; CCP/Rose Isle (Bourke), 12 A fl at /21¾; CME Co./Homebush (local), 23 com /13.

MELBOURNE.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

At to-day's wool sales 10,500 bales were offered. The selection was again a wonderfully good one. Competition was exceptionally keen. All descriptions ruled in sellers' favour, and prices generally were 5 per cent. higher.

Messrs. Pitt, Son, and Badgery, Ltd., will submit a catalogue of 3600 bales of wool on Thursday, 5th instant, at the Sydney Wool Exchange, Bridge-street, Sydney, which will include some very attractive lines, amongst them being a further parcel of the famous DR/G wool, from Uralla, and Cook and Co./Woolshed brand, from Bundarra. Other noteworthy brands are as follow:—HMC/G (Grenfell), JG/Moulmain (Condobolin), JG/Bongongo (Tumut), JWS/New England (Glen Innes), J. Slo/Mt. Pleasant/New England (Dundee), JG/Slapdash (Gulgong), JG/Bringelong (Condobolin), EMB/NSW/Queensbro (Craboon), Brigalows (Warren), JB/Woorandara (Hay), Curtis/Glen Innes/New England (Glen Innes), JFM Q'beyan (Queanbeyan), TJ/Ladysmith (Barraba), P. B. Eddy AP/NE (Inverell), CM/Beecroft/New England (Deepwater), DC/Kilgowla (Burren Junction), GAB/Briars (Bungendore), GAB/Aeton (Bungendore), GT/Euratha (Yalgogrin North), RDP (Condobolin), CC/Cherry Tree Hill/New England (Uralla), TN/Elah (Warkton); and in the scoured section, J. C. and Co./Sandown in dia, 250 bales.—Advt.

A WEATHERBOARD SUBURB.

The proposal of the Minister for Works to build a weatherboard Dareyville at Berry's Bay has caused the North Sydney Council to enter a protest. At the last meeting a letter was read from Mr. J. B. Thompson, who pointed out that the land upon which the Minister proposed to build the suburb fronted the harbour, and had been purchased from the Berry Hospital trustees by the Government. The trustees of the Berry Estate had been at considerable expense to make the suburb a model one, and the sites owned by the Government were worthy of a good class of residence. The council decided to send a vigorous protest to the Minister for Works regarding the project.

AUCTION SALES TO-DAY.

HOUSES AND LAND.

HARDIE and GORMAN.—At the Rooms, at 11.30, Shares, City and Suburban Properties.

FURNITURE AND MERCHANDISE.

J. R. LAWSON and LITTLE.—At the Rooms, at 11, Oil Paintings, etc.; at Sayonara, Ruby-street, Mosman; at 11, Piano, Billiard Table, Furniture, etc.

G. H. MORBS and CO.—At Lynton, Redmyre-road, Strathfield, at 2, Furniture, etc.

BARNARD and CO.—At Vintner's Stores, Pyrmont Bridge-road, Camperdown, at 11, Furniture, Printing Press, Jeweller's Lathe, Books, etc.

J. P. LISTER.—At the Rooms, 392 Pitt-street, at 11, Clothing, Blankets, etc.; at 3, Sundries, at 2.15, Bicycles; at 3.30, Jewellery.

WOOL SALES.

At the Sydney Wool Exchange, at 3, Wool.

FARM AND DAIRY PRODUCE.

W. INGLIS and SON.—At the Excelsior Dairy, Picton-street, Mascot, at 2.30, Dairying Plant, etc.

HORSES, VEHICLES, AND HARNESS.

W. INGLIS and SON.—At their Bazaar, at 10.30, 11.30, and 12, Horses, Vehicles, and Harness; at Camperdown Yards, at 2, Horses.

G. H. MORBS and CO.—At Lynton, Redmyre-road, Strathfield, at 2, Motor Car, etc.

MISCELLANEOUS.

FRASER, UTHER, and CO.—At the Royal Exchange, at 12, Wreck of S.S. Friendship.

J. COWAN.—At Baldwin Bros.' Works, at 2.30, Stone Dressing Machines, Timber, etc.

G. M. PUGH.—At 64 Abercrombie-street, Redfern, at 11, Building Materials.

ABDOMINAL BELTS. A GUYATT'S ABDOMINAL BELTS are made on anatomical principles, and GIVE A BENEFICIAL SUPPORT TO THE ABDOMEN. To order, from 15s. Ready-made.—Ladies, from 8s 6d; Gents., from 2s 9d; FLANNEL BELTS, as 6d, 3s, 3s 6d. Experienced Lady in Attendance.
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MINING.

MORE CHEERFUL MARKET RULES.

FOLLOWING LONDON LEAD.

COPPER AND SILVER SHARES FIRMER.

A decidedly more cheerful note was sounded in the market yesterday morning, and the result was not only an increased amount of business transacted, but values generally were of a more buoyant character than has been the case for some time past.

The chief factors in this change from the somnolent conditions ruling last week was the improved political outlook in connection with the war between Turkey and the Balkan States, a more cheerful note sounded on the London Stock Exchange on Monday, a marked firming in the middle quotations for Australian copper and silver stocks, with both silver and lead quoted at firm prices.

The local market quickly responded to the more cheerful aspect of affairs ruling on the London Stock Exchange, likewise the Continental Bourses, and the result was not only a larger volume of business transacted, but at values on the up-grade. This was particularly noticeable in the case of Barriers. Broken Hill Junction Norths opened quiet at 18/, but when it was seen that a more buoyant spirit was abroad, they improved to 18/6, with buyers still unsupplied at that figure at noon. Broken Hill Junctions (ord.) were solidly supported at 9/1 and 9/2, whilst Broken Hill South Extended changed hands at 3/6 on the strength of a London "middle" quotation at 3/7½.

The chief move, however, took place in Broken Hill Souths (paid), which sold at £8/10/3 and £8/10/9, an advance of 1/9 on last week's strong closing sale. A strong London middle quotation at £8/11/3 was doubtless responsible for this move. The contributing scrip was sympathetically affected, moving from £7/18/6 to £8/1/. A like forward move in Sulphide Corporation (ord.) from 28/10 to 29/9, was also due to the better tone of the London market.

In the Barrier stocks not dealt in, firm offers were made for Broken Hill Proprietary, Broken Hill Block 10, British Broken Hill (old), as well as privileged, North Broken Hill, and Zinc Corporation (ord. and pref.). Radium Hill (old) were not dealt in, buyers and sellers failing to get to close quarters.

In the case of copper propositions, the London Stock Exchange quotations on Monday again dominated the situation. Mount Elliotts made a strong forward movement to £8/1/10½ (middle), with the result that local sales were booked at £8 and £8/2/, the previous one some days ago being at £7/11/. It was stated that the annual meeting of shareholders was held in London on Monday, and it was assumed that the big jump in the share values was due to statements made at the meeting. Hampdens recovered from 50/1½ to 51/, with buyers still unsupplied at that figure. Mount Morgans were also firmly supported at 63/9, whilst improved offers failed to draw holders of Wallaroo and Moonta. A slightly better feeling also existed for Chillagoe.

The gold division was rather quiet, with sales in Occidental (Cobar) a fraction easier, and Brilliant Deeps (contg.), which commanded firm support. In tin stocks, Bourke's Hill tin again sold on the easy side; Tongkah Harbour sold steady at late rates; whilst Tongkah Compound advanced to the Melbourne sale price at 56/6.

Extreme lassitude ruled the market during the afternoon, so far as concerns the amount of business transacted, but this did not extend to the character of the quotations. They, as well as the few sales recorded, disclosed a steady market in copper and silver shares.

According to our London correspondent, whose cable message was despatched early on Tuesday morning, the London metal market on Monday reflected the more reassuring tone ruling in respect to the European situation. Thus the spot price for copper improved 12/6 to £77/2/6, and three months forward rose 13/9. The spot price for tin advanced £2/10/ to £228/15/, whilst the three months forward rose £2 to £227/15/. Lead was unchanged at £18/1/3.

THE SHARE MARKET.

Sydney Stock Exchange.—The closing quotations were:—

	Buyers. £ s. d.	Sellers. £ s. d.
COPPER.		
Bodgery	0 6 5	—
Chillagoe	0 3 0	—
Grafton	—	0 15 6
Hampden-Cloncurry, paid	2 11 3	2 11 4½
Kangiara	—	0 2 3
Kyloe	—	0 2 0
Ditto, preference	—	0 3 0
Mount Elliott	8 2 6	8 5 0
Mungana (Chillagoe)	—	0 1 2
Queen Bee	—	0 3 6
Wallaroo and Moonta	2 1 6	2 2 3
TIN.		
Briseis	0 8 6	—
Vegetable Creek	—	0 2 0
Vulcan	0 1 7	0 1 9
SILVER. New South Wales, etc.		
British Broken Hill	2 11 0	2 11 3
Ditto, Privileged	1 18 0	1 19 6
Broken Hill Proprietary	2 6 3	2 6 4½
Ditto, Block 10	2 1 0	2 1 6
B.H. Junction	0 9 2	0 9 4
Ditto, pref.	0 10 1½	0 10 6
B.H. Junction North	0 18 6	0 18 7½
B.H. North	8 1 0	8 5 0
B.H. South	8 10 9	8 12 0
B.H. South, contributing	8 1 6	8 4 0
Amalgamated Zinc	1 15 9	—
Sulphide Corporation, ord.	1 9 9	1 9 10½
Sulphide Corporation, pref.	—	2 2 0
Zinc Corporation, ord.	0 18 6	0 19 0
Ditto, pref.	2 2 0	—
New Burragorang	—	0 2 9
Ditto, contg.	0 2 4	0 3 0
Radium Hill (old)	—	18 10 0
GOLD. New South Wales, etc.		
Baker's Creek	0 1 0	0 1 6
Cosmopolitan	0 0 3	0 1 0
Hawkin's Hill Reward	0 5 0	0 5 6
Mount David	0 0 4	0 0 5
Occidental	0 6 8	0 6 11
TIN. Dredging and Sluicing.		
Bourke's Hill Tin	0 6 0	0 7 0
Cope's Creek	0 2 0	—
Great Britain Sluicing	—	1 9 0
Stanthorpe, pref.	0 10 [illegible]	—
Tongkah Harbour Tin	1 16 6	1 17 3
Ditto, Compound	2 15 6	2 15 9
Tasmania.		
Mount Lyell	1 2 9	—
GOLD. Queensland. Charters Towers, etc.		
Brilliant	—	0 3 9
Brilliant Block	0 3 10	0 4 0
East Mexican, paid	0 1 4	—
Mount Morgan	3 3 6	3 3 9
Western Australia.		
Bullfinch Proprietary	0 8 6	0 8 8
Chaffer's	0 1 0	—
Great Boulder	0 12 0	—
Sandstone	0 0 2½	0 0 3½

STOCK EXCHANGE SALES.

MORNING.

Copper.—Hampdens, 51/; Mount Elliott, £8, £8/2/, one m. £8/2/ and £8/2/6; Mount Morgans, 63/9, six w. 64/, ord. 63/9.

Silver.—B.H. Junction North, 17/9, 18/, 18/1, 18/3, 18/2, 18/6; B.H. Junction, ord, six w. 9/3, ord. 9/1, 9/2; B.H. South, paid, £8/10/3, £8/10/9; Sulphide Corporation, ord., 29/6, 29/7½, 29/9; B.H. South, contg. (odd lot), £8/1/; B.H. South Extended (not on official list), 3/6.

Gold.—Occidental (Cobar), 6/10, six w. 6/11; Brilliant Deep, contg. (not on official list), 20/1½.

Tin.—Bourke's Hill, 6/6; Tongkah Compound, 56/6, six w. S.O. 56/6; Tongkah Harbour, 37/.

AFTERNOON.

Copper: Hampdens, 51/3, 6 weeks 51/4; Mount Elliotts, 1 month, £8/2/6; Chillagoe, 3/3.

Silver: British (old), six weeks, 51/; cash, 51/; B.H. Proprietary, 46/3; B.H. Junction North, 18/7½; six weeks, 18/7½; B.H. Souths (contg.), £8/3/; B.H. Junction (ord.), six weeks, 9/3.

Gold: Mount Davids, /5; Bullfinch Proprietary, 8/8, 8/9.

Tin: Tongkah Compound, 55/6.

LONDON SHARE MARKET.

LONDON, Dec. 3.

On the Stock Exchange yesterday, shares in Australian mining ventures were quoted as follows:—Broken Hill Proprietary, b 45/6, s 46/6; British Broken Hill, b 50/, s 51/; Broken Hill Block 10, b 40/7, s 41/10; Broken Hill North, b 160/, s 162/6; Broken Hill South, b 170/, s 172/6; Hampden, b 51/3, s 52/6; Mount Elliott, b 162/6, s 165/; Chillagoe, b 2/9, s 3/2; Waihi, b 31/3, s 33/9; Waihi Junction, b 21/, s 22/.

LEAD FIRMER.

A brokers' cable message states that amongst the shares quoted on the London Stock Exchange on Monday were the following "middle" prices:—Broken Hill Proprietary, 46/3; B.H. North, £8/0/7½; B.H. Block 10, 42/; Hampden, 51/6; B.H. South, paid, £8/11/3; B.H. South Extended, 3/7½; British (old), 50/3; Sulphide, ord., 30/; Great Cobar, 93/1½; Mount Elliott, £8/1/10½; Mount Morgan, 64/4½; Kalgurli, 42/6; Amalgamated Zinc, 35/9; Zinc, ord., 18/3; Zinc, pref., 42/.

Copper, £76/12/6 (unchanged); lead, £18/1/3 (1/3 up); spelter, £26 (unaltered); tin, £227 (unaltered); silver, 2/5¼.

MINING NOTES.

The output of Tongkah Harbour Tin Company last week was 19 tons. During November the dredges worked 2273 hours, dredged 252,600 cubic yards, and obtained 76 tons tin.

Our Charters Towers correspondent telegraphs that the diamond drill is now in 170ft in the Brilliant Block crosscut, and has met a 5ft. formation with veins of quartz.

At the Cope's Creek dredging mine, portion of the paddock was last week stripped, blown in, and the boxes run down for a recovery of about four tons. A pumphole was sunk, suction extended, and the blowing in of the balance of the paddock resumed.

At the C.S.A. mine the rich copper vein in the south drive has narrowed to one foot. The face of the north drive is oxidised lode matter showing a little carbonate of copper. The face of the south drive from the main shaft is also in oxidised ore, with small patches of grey oxide. During the week 111 tons of ore were consigned to the smelters, 86 tons were hauled, and there are 33 tons at grass.

The Clark shaft of the New Burragorang silver mine was last week sunk 12ft, to 422ft, without any change in the lode.

Since the registration of the Golden Mile Hill End, Limited, on September 30, the main shaft, 10ft by 5ft in the clear, has been sunk 107 feet. This shaft will, it is calculated, cut Excelsior reef at about 250 feet. The manager has completed the construction of a dam in Specimen Gully, and finished the erection of sheds and blacksmith's shop. The machinery on the way is expected to arrive by next teams.

At the Mount Fisher copper mine the lode in the west drive still continues strong and solid is now over 3ft wide from the top to the bottom of the drive, and appears to be opening out as it goes west. By the appearance of the lode the manager thinks he is going to get richer ore shortly. The cuprite still continues, and shows crystals of oxide as before. The last parcel of blank ore sampled at the Port Kembla works returned 13.65 per cent. of copper, and the cuprite rock (by way of experiment) assayed 4 per cent. copper.

The despatches by the B.H. Block 10 Company during the fortnight ended November 27 were 579 tons of concentrates, 5101 tons of new mill by-products, and 62 tons old mill by-products.

The Black Range Company has declared a dividend of 6d per share, payable on December 20.

Our Launceston correspondent telegraphs:—"Mr. G. H. Blakemore, metallurgist, arrived from Melbourne to-day (Tuesday), and, in company with the directors, proceeded to the Hercules mine on which he is to furnish a report on the future prospects and method of working. While at the mine it is understood the men will approach the directors for increased wages. The Mount Bischoff Company to-day declared a dividend of 10/ per share in addition to a bonus of 5/ per share, payable on December 21."

MINING IN THE STATE.

YAMBULLA, Monday.

The clean up at Squirrel Flat, after nearly a three weeks' run of the battery, is reported as half an ounce per ton. As the country is soft, with a large body of stone, this is considered highly satisfactory.

Bowman and Wall, at the prospecting claim, were breaking stone last week even richer than their dolly crushing. A feature of this gold deposit is that it realised within a few pence of £4 per ounce at the Sydney Mint. No such price has hitherto been obtained on the field, the usual price being £3 and under.

BROKEN HILL MINES.

BROKEN HILL, Tuesday.

Diamond-drilling at the B.H. South mine of the 970ft level remains full of interest. No. 80 bore was taken to 295ft and stopped. From 109ft to 129ft some ore was passed through right up to 187ft, showing over 100ft of ore-bearing country. The main body passed through from 79ft to 129ft, 50ft, averaged 21.4 per cent. lead, 4.5oz silver, 14.6 per cent. zinc. Another bore, No. 81, was started in section H4, at the 825ft level, going north-west, and was carried in 66½ft. Low-grade ore was passed through for the past 21ft.

HAMPDEN COPPER MINE.

DECREASED OUTPUT FOR MONTH.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

The Hampden-Cloncurry Company's smelting return or November was as follows:—Ore treated 4115 tons, matte treated 558 tons, blister copper produced 657 tons, containing 650 tons fine copper, 395oz gold, and 7382oz silver.

In the previous month, the output was 725 tons of fine copper, containing 466oz gold, and 9277oz silver.

DISCOVERY OF SILVER ORE.

RICH FIND REPORTED.

ADELAIDE, Monday.

What may prove to be an important silver discovery, is reported from Cowell. While prospecting in the Coolannie ranges, 16 or 17 miles west of Franklin Harbour, Mr. W. Atkinson, of Cowell, stumbled across what were probably chlorides of silver. Specimens on being assayed gave 7860oz silver, and 9½ per cent. copper per ton. According to a local correspondent, the discovery was made in highly-mineralised country, numerous copper and galena shows extending for a distance of about 15 miles through the ranges. A rich silver specimen was discovered on the surface of a hill, 1500 feet above sea level. The lode is reported to be well defined, but its actual width has not yet been determined, as the walls are so far unexposed.

A rich specimen weighed 2cwt, and was conveyed to Cowell by Messrs. Dawson and Ogilvie. The surrounding country has been all pegged out, and there was considerable excitement in the township. When the news was first received in Adelaide, it was thought that the mineral came from a pocket, but apparently something much more important has been stumbled upon, and official reports on the discovery will be awaited with interest.

WESTERN AUSTRALIAN YIELD.

PERTH, Monday.

The gold yield for November was 107,219 fine ounces, valued at £455,439, a total of 953oz more than the previous month, and 11,158oz less than the corresponding month of last year.

OPAL MINING.

WHITE CLIFFS, Tuesday.

Nothing sensational occurred last fortnight, though numerous small pockets of opal were won, mostly of fair quality. A slight rush was caused on Block 8. Two boys fossicking struck £20 worth of nice opals in 6ft of soft ground. Blocks 5, 13, and 14 are contributing to the output. In the latter block a decent show was struck under a band of stone, with a big show of potsch.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

A call of 1s per share, payable on December 11, has been made by the Junction North Broken Hill Company.

INTERSTATE EXCHANGES.

ADELAIDE, Tuesday.

To-day's sales were:—

Morning: Hampden, 51/3; Broken Hill Prop., 46/; B.H. Junction, pref., 10/3, ditto, ord., 9/3; B.H. Junction North, 18/3, 18/6; B.H. South Extended, 3/8, 3/9; Bullfinch Estates, con., 1/8; Great Boulders, 12/4½, 12/6; Lake View and Star, 3/1½.

Noon: Chillagoe, 3/2; B.H. Junction, ord., 9/3; B.H. Junction North, 18/4½; B.H. South, con., £8/2/; Bullfinch, con, 1/8.

The closing sales and quotations were:—

Copper: Chillagoe, 3/2, b 3/1; Hampden, 51/3, 51/, b 51/, s 51/6; Mount Elliott, b £8/2/6; Mount Lyell, b 22/9, s 23/3; Mungana, b /10½, s 1/; O.K., s /2; Wallaroo, b 41/3.

Silver: Broken Hill Proprietary, 46/, 46/3, b 46/, s 46/6; B.H. Block 14 (pref.), b 10/9, s 11/; ditto, ord., 9/8, b 9/7, s 9/10; B.H. Block 10, b 41/3, s 42/3; British (old), 51/3, 51/6, b 51/3, s 51/9; British (new), b 39/, s 39/3; B.H. Junction (pref.), 10/3, 10/6, b 10/3; ditto ord., 9/3, 9/4, 9/1, b 9/, s 9/1; B.H. Junction North, 18/3, 18/1½, 18/3, b 18/1½, s 18/4½; B.H. South Extended, 3/8, 3/9, 3/7; Sulphide (ord.), 29/9, b 29/6, s 29/9.

Gold: Lake View and Star, 3/1½, b 3/0½, s 3/1½; Associated, b 6/6; Bullfinch Proprietary, 8/10, b 8/9, s 8/11; Commodore, 2/4, 2/5, b 2/4, s 2/5; Great Boulders, b 12/6; Sons of Gwalia, 22/9, b 22/9.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

To-day's sales were:—Broken Hill Junction North, 18/2, 18/7; Sulphide Corporation (ord.), 29/3; Hampden, 51/; Mt. Cuthbert, 11/4, 11/1; Bourke's Hill, 7/5, 6/6; Briseis, 8/8; New Langi Logan, 18/6, 18/9; Duke and Main Leads, 6/6; Poseidon Alluvial, 9/1, 9/; Maori Queen, £10/10/.

Afternoon:—Silver: Broken Hill Junction North, 18/2, 18/7, 18/3, 18/6; B.H. North Broken, £8; Sulphide Corporation (ord.), 29/3; B.H. Junction (ord.), 9/4.

Copper: Hampden, 51/, 50/9; Mount Cuthbert, 11/4, 11/1; Mount Jasper, 80/.

Tin: Bourke's Hill, 6/5, 6/6; Briseis, 8/8; Tongkah Compound, 56/; Tongkah Harbour, 37/6.

Gold: Ajax Central, 24/9, 25/; Bendigo Victoria, 2/, Cathcart, 20/, 20/3; Cathcart Central, 59/, 59/6, 59/3; Duke and Main Leads, 6/6; Johnson's Reef, 31/6; Maori Queen, £10/10/; New Langi Logan, 19/6, 19/3, 19/1; New Sultan Reefs, 3/3; Nuggety Ajax, 13/; Poseidon Alluvial, 9/1, 8/6; Edna May, 5/3; Marvel Loch, 1/9.

BENDIGO, Tuesday.

To-day's sales were:—Carlisle, 8/9; Central New Chum, 1/1½, 1/1; Collmann and Taechi, 4/; Constellation, 5/6; Golden Age, 4/11; Golden Pyke, 18/8; Goldfields Consolidated, /5; Great Northern, 11/; Lord Roberts, /6; Princess Dagmar, 3/2; Red, White, and Blue United, 1/10; South Prince of Wales, 2/8; South Garden United, 2/2; United Hustlers and Redan, 7/6, Victory and Pandora, /7½; Williams United, 2/1.

CHARTERS TOWERS, Tuesday.

To-day's sales:—Brilliant, 3/2; B. Block, 3/11; B. Extended (paid), 2/5; Queen Cross, 1/1½; B. Central, /8; Peter and Jack, /6.

HOBART, Tuesday.

Stock Exchange quotations:—Tasmania Gold, b 1/9, s 2/; Arba, s 8/; Briseis, b 8/, s 9/; Boulder, s 2/6; Mount Bischoff, b £57; Mount Cleveland, b 1/6, s 2/; Pioneer, b 21/3, s 22/6; Tongkah Harbour, b 36/9, s 39/; Tongkah Compound, b 54/.

SULPHIDE CORPORATION, LIMITED.

During the four weeks ended November 14 a total of 17,264 tons of crude ore were treated at the Central mine, Broken Hill, producing 2878 tons of lead concentrates, and 5757 tons of zinc concentrates.

During the same period, at the Cockle Creek Smelting Works, 3596 tons of leady concentrates also purchased ore, etc., were smelted, yielding 1143 tons of lead, containing 4883oz gold and 92,783oz silver.

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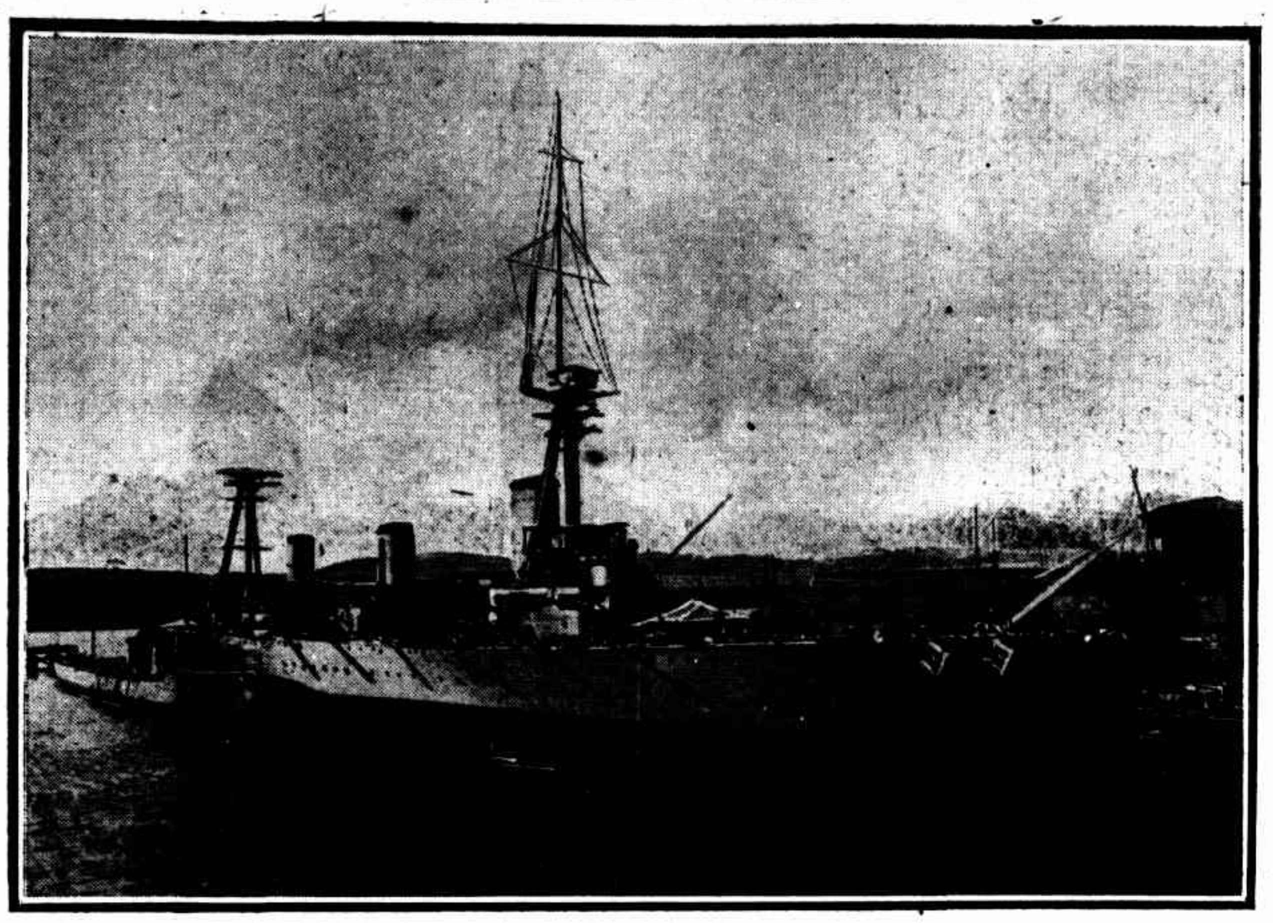
THE BATTLE CRUISER AUSTRALIA.



The Australia, which is now nearing completion, is a sister-ship of the battle-cruiser Indefatigable, and was launched at Clydebank on October 25 last year. She has a displacement of 18,800 tons, and her armament consists of eight 12in guns, sixteen 4in guns, and two 21in torpedo tubes. The vessel is protected by a belt 8 inches to 4 inches in thickness, with 10-inch armour on the turrets. The designed horse-power of the Parson's turbines is 44,000 shaft horse-power—rather more than that of the Indefatigable. It is expected that at normal draught the sea speed of the Australia will be 26 knots.

AMUSEMENTS.

NEW ARRIVALS FOR "MILESTONES."

Several members of the J. C. Williamson new company, which, headed by Mr. Julius Knight, will appear in "Milestones" at the Criterion Theatre on Saturday week, have now arrived from England by the Orama, via Melbourne express. The leading lady of the company is Miss Irene Brown, last here with Mr. H. B. Irving, when she occasionally replaced Miss Dorothea Baird. Miss Baird, who has now retired into private life as Mrs. H. B. Irving, saw Miss Brown off. She stated that she was delighted to be free from the anxieties of the theatrical profession, and mentioned to her young actress friend that on going behind at the Lane to meet her husband after the first night of "Every Woman," in which Mr. Irving played Nobody, the scenery even gave her nervous panic. Mr. Irving left on November 28 for South Africa for a six months' season, and Miss Brown was offered Miss Baird's roles. She, however, preferred the class of work she would get in Australia with the J. C. Williamson management, and consequently accepted the present engagement.

Miss Grace Noble, who will be remembered as ingenue with the late Mr. Robert Brough, has returned to play the part of Gertrude Rhead in Bennett and Knoblauch's play. A couple of years ago Miss Noble, when appearing in "Peter Pan" at Manchester, was invalided with rheumatism, and this is the first engagement she has since accepted. She was recommended by Mr. Charles Frohman, with whom she has played a good deal since her return to England.

Another member of the English contingent is Miss Mary Goulding, from Miss Horniman's repertory company, considered by Mr. Knight the best practical school of Acting in England to-day. Mr. Martin Lewis, a London juvenile actor, who has already had some success; and Mr. Herbert Forde, an experienced player, with English and American reputation, are also with the newcomers.

THE THEATRES.

The last matinee of "The Quaker Girl" will be given at Her Majesty's Theatre to-day, as on Saturday the Royal Comic Opera Company will produce "Florodora," with Miss Grace Palotta in her original part as Lady Holyrood, and a cast in other respects entirely new, with Miss Blanche Brown and all the favourites of the combination in new parts. The plan is at Paling's.

At the Theatre Royal the final matinee of "Ben Hur" will take place to-day, and the last performance on Friday. On Saturday next "Harbour Lights" will be produced after a long interval, with Mr. Eric Maxon as the naval lieutenant, Fred Cambourne as Tom Dossiter, Eardley Turner as Captain Nelson, and Gwen Burroughes as the heroine. The plan is at Paling's.

"Meg the Castaway," a domestic melodrama, in which Maggie Moore as the little heroine sings "A Curl from Baby's Head" and other little ballads, with H. R. Roberts as the philosophic Coffee-stall Keeper, can only be performed thrice more at the Criterion Theatre. On Saturday next Playwrights, Ltd., will produce the Australian-Irish musical farce "Mrs. McSweeney" for the last week of the season.

At the Adelphi Theatre the last three nights of "What Women will Do for Love" are now in progress, as on Saturday evening the George Marlow Company will appear for two weeks in the domestic drama "His Real Wife," by the English author, G. A. Clarke. Scenes from rural England, including a gay hunting breakfast in an old baronial hall, will be elaborately staged. The Christmas piece will be "The Monk and the Woman."

At the Tivoli Theatre the last two nights of the Rallis and Wilson Trio are notified, and the matinee and evening programme will include the Brothers Scheck, star equilibrists, Harry Rovall, the Three Keltons, Nella Webb, Thomas Bentley in Dickens Characters, Will Whitburn, Tom Dawson, the Max Franklin troupe of Continental Acrobats, and De Bierre in his elaborate entertainment of mystery and magic.

At the National Amphitheatre the Brennan-Fuller Vandeville Company will comprise Carl Mertyn in magic mirth and mystery, embracing the "Human Incubator;" Violet Black and her English artists in "Telka, the Half-breed;" the Tyrrells, singers and dancers; Mr. C., raconteur; Maud Courtney, American comedienne; Tom Armstrong and Priscilla Verne, Les Enrchs (last nights), Maud Faning, and many other artists.

At the Palace Theatre on December 12 Haddon Chambers' drama, "The Awakening," will be performed in aid of the Brotherhood of the Good Shepherd by a company which will include Mrs. Knowles (Lily Titheredge), Misses Dorothy Cumming, Kathleen M'Donald, Messrs. Norman Lloyd, Leslie Casey, and others. The plan will open at Paling's December 9.

SOCIAL MATINEE AT THE TIVOLI.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mass entertained some four or five score of their friends at afternoon tea on the stage of the Tivoli Theatre yesterday afternoon, when the social reception was preceded by the exhibition of a cinematograph film illustrating the birthday party in honour of their little daughter Noni, who was five years old on November 10. The moving pictures showed the arrival of motor cars at "Canonbury," Darling Point, the host and hostess receiving their guests, including Messrs. H. D. M'Intosh, J. D. Fitzgerald, Harrie Skinner, and a crowd of people known in and about the theatres, as well as the children playing on the lawn, and some beautiful views of the harbour as seen from the garden and grounds. The rapid recognition of friends in bursts of applause sustained the interest, and a little later Miss Sylvia Bremer recited, with a good deal of emotional effect, "The Irishwoman's Letter."

MISS BERTHA KENNY'S CONCERT.

Miss Bertha Kenny, a contralto from the studio of Mr. W. Burns-Walker, made a highly promising debut before a large audience at St. James's Hall last night. This quite young singer, who began with Bohm's "Still as the Night," possesses a voice that is rather light in timbre, but gathers brightness and resonance in the upper register. In the encore number, Heron Maxwell's "Smiles," which was given archly and tenderly, the singer showed a good deal of temperament; but her successes were made in her operatic excerpts, "Le Parlate d'Amor," and the ballata from "Lucrezia Borgia," with its wide range from "G" below the lines to "A" above. The recitative in Siebel's music had been admirably studied, and though the young contralto has not yet acquired an effective production in the lower register, which at present fails to carry perfectly, the range of the Flower Song showed her powers to advantage, and she again did well in De Preyval's "A Dream of Love." Mr. W. Burns-Walker, who will sail for the Cape within the fortnight, thus leaves behind him another singer of promise to bear witness to his success as a teacher during his long residence in Sydney. Two other former pupils assisted Miss Kenny, who was warmly applauded throughout, on this occasion. Mr. Thomas Midelton, after Schubert's beautiful setting of "Who is Sylvia?" sang "Rose of My Heart" (Lohr) with sentiment and an effective use of his baritone voice; and Mr. Sid. Macdonald, being warmly encored for Phillips's "Rosamond," further contributed the tenor song "A Farewell" (Liddle). Mr. George S. Holburn's musical sketches revealed that entertainer's easy vein of humour in a way which caused responsive laughter. Mr. W. Du Boulay, who was well accompanied by Mrs. Du Boulay, played Vieuxtemps' "Bohemienne," a piece characteristic in its accentuations of rhythm. The various qualities of the composition were fluently and artistically expressed by the violinist.

MLLE. JESSICA'S CONCERT.

A pure contralto of quite rare quality, power, and range, was displayed by Mlle. Jessica, at Concordia Hall, last night, when a complimentary concert in her honour attracted a crowded house. The new singer must be regarded as something of a phenomenon upon the statement of Mrs. A. N. Jonsen, president of the Concert Committee, who, in a speech of thanks in which she urged the audience to support the contralto at a concert on a much larger scale next year, remarked that she had only studied under Miss Ada Baker for eight months. In that case, Mlle. Jessica's aptitude for music must be quite out of the ordinary, as she showed a control of her voice, and a knowledge of its effective use, which many students take years to acquire. Mlle. Jessica's songs were the Gounod-Bach "Ave Maria" (with violin and organ obbligato), followed by a double encore, "A Song of Thanksgiving" (Allitsen), and Metcalfe's "Absent;" Teschemaker's "I Want Your Sympathy," and Hullah's "Three Fishers," with Liza Lehmann's humorous ballad, "Daddy's Sweetheart," as encore; and the sacred song, "The Roseate Hues," by W. Warrington Reynolds, who accompanied at the piano, and had the satisfaction of hearing his composition carried to success. Mlle. Jessica's tuneful contralto voice has been already very considerably equalised, the full low tones being delivered easily and without forcing, whilst the top register is capable of thrilling effects. Storms of enthusiasm greeted the student, who will require to continue soberly forward, still restraining and managing her voice, and paying no heed to the hundreds of foolish friends who will assure her she "has nothing to learn." Miss Ada Baker's choir of students, the Western Suburbs Choral Society, under Mr. John Mansfield's baton, Miss Leila Jeffery, Messrs. Sid Macdonald, Harry Thomas, and Sidney T. Price, with Miss Hilda Thorndyke and Mr. Albert Fisher as accompanists, and Mr. George S. Holburn as manager, furthered the success of a capital entertainment.

CONCERTS AND RECITALS.

The Sydney Madrigal and Chamber Music Society will give the last concert of their season under Mr. W. Arundel Orchard's baton at St. James's Hall to-morrow night. In addition to beautiful choral numbers the Austral String Quartet will play quartets by Dittersdorf and Ravel. Miss Iris de Cairos Rego will be the pianist. Miss Mair Mason will sing "Batti, Batti," the "Ave Maria" from "Otello," the "Alleluia" from "Le Cid," and other fine songs. The plan is at Paling's.

Mr. G. Faunce Allman and Miss Dora Rancland will resume their short midday organ and violin recitals at St. James's Church to-day (1.25-1.50 p.m.), when an interesting programme will include the beautiful Max Bruch "Adagio," and pieces by Schumann, Gluck, Mendelssohn and Lemare.

The Musical Association will hold its fourth "at home" at the King's Hall to-night. Papers by the Rev. H. Saumarez Smith and Mr. Arthur Mason will be read and discussed during the evening, and songs will be contributed by Mr. W. Reginald Goood.

At the Ancelon-Chapman school of elocution recital in St. James's Hall next Wednesday the gold medallists at the recent Commonwealth Eisteddfod will recite. Scenes will be played from "Hamlet," "As You Like It," "King John," "The Tempest," "Julius Caesar," and "The Merchant of Venice." The plan is at Paling's.

Mr. Percy French will direct a vocal recital by his pupils at the Y.M.C.A. Hall next Tuesday evening, when Miss Dorothy Nall, Mr. Allan Fraser, and Mr. S. Martin Mortlock will be the assisting artists in an attractive programme. The plan is at Paling's.

The plan opens to-day for the final concert of the year by students of the Lawrence Campbell school of public speaking and dramatic art, to take place in St. James's Hall on December 12. The programme will consist of Shakespearian and classical pieces and comedies. A special feature will be the appearance of Mr. Lawrence Campbell in a character sketch. Plan at Nicholson's.

Mr. Roy Agnew, assisted by the Austral String Quartet, Mr. Arthur Appleby, and Mr. Alfred Hill, will give a recital of his compositions at King's Hall on December 17. Invitations may be obtained from the studios at the Austral Orchestral College, Albert's music warehouse.

A sacred concert and musical festival will be held on the Sydney Cricket Ground on Christmas night, when the Professional Musicians' Band, augmented to 75 performers, and assisted by four other bands of 25 performers each, will give the 1812 Overture and the patriotic musical tableau, "The British Army Quadrilles." The Sydney Harmony Society, under the direction of Mr. Bourne, will also assist.

The first public exposition of colour music as planned by Mr. A. B. Hector will be given in the Town Hall on Saturday, December 21, at a concert, in which leading musicians will take part.

OTHER ENTERTAINMENTS.

A brilliant programme is now being screened at the Crystal Palace. The star feature is without question "The Great Circus Catastrophe," which is packed with thrilling incidents. "Two Daughters of Eve" and "The One She Loved," are also features of interest, while Williams' Weekly gives a pictorial resume of the most important events of the week. The Victoria Park Races, Lord Chelmsford laying the foundation-stone of the Boys' Brigade building, and many other events, are pictured.

An entire change of programme will be made on Thursday at all the J. D. Williams' theatres. Meanwhile an attractive series is being shown. At the Lyric the programme includes "Justice at Last," "The Chief's Blanket," "A Railroad Lochinvar," and various comedy films. The Empress is showing "The Flooded Mine," "The Girl in the Cupola," "The Girl Reporter's Big Scoop," and "A Ten Carat Hero;" while at the Colonial Theatre "The Mysterious Loss," "The Librarian," "The Shooting Match," and "Ghosts" are features in a big bill.

The star feature at West's two theatres, the Olympia and the Glaciarium, is at present a remarkable presentation, entitled, "The Golden Cage," which is said to have aroused widespread attention on the Continent. Additional interest is centred in the appearance of Mademoiselle Saharet, the famous danseuse, who is a Sydney girl by birth. The plot of the play is cleverly woven, and a variety of exciting and enthralling incidents are involved. Various other dramatic and humorous pictures are included in the programme.

Wilkie Collins' famous novel, "The Woman in White," which has been running with great success in film form at the Lyceum, will be succeeded on Saturday at the matinee by a picture presentation of "The Midnight Wedding," which Spencer's management regard as a triumph of cinematography. Sydneyites will remember the play well which was originally staged at the Adelphi, and whose atmosphere of adventure, intrigue, and romance is fully preserved by the camera. A strong programme is at present being screened.

An interesting programme is on view this week at the American Picture Palace, where a highly graphic series illustrates the events of the Balkan war. Among various other humorous and dramatic films, "Kitty's Mice" is a particularly attractive feature.

At the Vice-Regal Skating Rink an exceptionally large crowd assembled last Saturday evening to witness the presentations to the prizewinners of the recent poster and fancy dress carnival. There will be a "black and white night" this evening, the attraction for Wednesday next being "A Night in Yokohama." The date of the military carnival will be announced shortly.

"DOROTHY."

At the Railway Institute last evening the Railway and Tramway Musical Society opened the first of a series of four performances of Cellier's "Dorothy." The production ranked high in amateur standards. Besides the well-practised music of the orchestra (under Mr. Leo. M. Grouse's baton), the character singing, both in solo and chorus, kept up the spirit of the piece. The audience was not disappointed in the presentation of Act 2. Miss Verna Mills was conspicuous in her singing of Dorothy Bantam's part, though her acting was rather stilted; while Mr. Reg. Riemenschneider, as Geoffrey Wilder, sang the tenor role well, and acted naturally. Of the rest of the cast, Mr. Harry Perfect's as Lurcher was humorous, he was the sole really comic-opera actor present. Miss Muril Bedwell, as Lady Betty, and Miss Nita Whitchurch as Lydia Hawthorne were very successful in their parts.

"Dorothy" will be given again to-night, to-morrow, and the following night.

THE SYDNEY CONSERVATORIUM.

In Paling's concert hall last evening the 74th students' programme was given in connection with the Sydney Conservatorium of Music. Eleven separate vocal and instrumental items, in which no contributor appeared twice, formed a programme of distinction. Of the individual items perhaps Mr. Allan Fraser with his artistic violin interpretation of Wieniawski's "Fantasie on Gounod's Faust," was foremost. Mr. T. N. Nelson's piano solos (Schumann's "Romance in F sharp, op. 28, No. 2," and Raff's "La Fileuse") also showed this artist to particular advantage. Mr. S. Vost-Janssen (viola), Misses Connie Bailey (piano), Connie Jones (violin), and Fenda Deloitte were successful in the Beethoven "Andante" and "Finale from the Quartet in E flat"; while Misses Una Black (violin) and Misses Bailey and Deloitte rendered harmoniously Schubert's "Scherzo" and "Finale from Trio No. 2." Misses Lottie Rae, in her singing of Meyerbeer's "Roberto o tu che adoro," Dulcie Marshall in "All the Roses in June," and Connie Stuart's piano solo, Chopin's "Ballade in A flat," call for special mention; while Misses Enid Elliott (piano), Dulcie Paterson, Daisy Cox, and Mr. Cornish (songs) added to the interest of the evening's entertainment.

THE SCHOOLS.

ST. JOSEPH'S COLLEGE.

The annual prize distribution of St. Joseph's (Marist Brothers') College, Hunter's Hill, took place yesterday afternoon in the college theatre. Special steamers left Circular Quay at 2 o'clock, conveying large numbers of visitors to the college, which looked particularly attractive in the bright afternoon sunshine.

Monsignor O'Brien presided at the distribution, and gave away the prizes to the successful students. There were a number of speeches, and the Brothers were once more warmly congratulated from all sides on the brilliant success of the college, and its high scholastic standard.

The principal prize winner was M. Mullarkey, who won the Archbishop's medal for Christian doctrine. Incidentally, Mullarkey also has the best batting average. The good conduct prize went to N. Keating. The boys gave a great reception to J. M'Killop, who won the bowling average. The prize for the best Old Boys' essay went to Henry Kenny.

RIFLE SHOOTING.

BROKEN HILL, Tuesday.

The final competition for the Angmorie Cup took place on Saturday in disagreeable weather. Five teams of ten men each competed. The result was a tie between Broken Hill and West Broken Hill Clubs. Each was 744 points. Both these teams were even on the first competitions. A special shoot-off will probably be necessary. The United Tramways Club scored 707, Y.M.C.A. 696, and Silver City Club 666. Mr. Stoneman, captain of West Broken Hill Club, put on 101 out of a possible 105 (32, 35, 34), making a new record for the Barrier. Messrs. W. Gamer, Dunn, and Cornwall each scored 97, and Smith 96. Cornwall put on the possible at 500 yards.

GOULBURN, Tuesday.

In the trophy shoot of the Goulburn rifle club, seven shots at 600 and 700 yards, the following were the prize-winners:—L. Swan (3), 65; H. Wright (3), 66; A. Fowler (2), 61; F. H. Morris (1), 60; D. Thompson (11), 60; R. Young (10), 58.

MUDGEE, Tuesday.

The following were the scores of the last Mudgee club shoot, seven shots at 500 and 600 yards:—D. H. Spring 67, H. C. Bentley 65, W. Rayner 65, S. Gentle 64, E. Thomas, sen., 63, R. Cohen 63, F. Winser 63, C. H. Tomkins 62, H. Knight 61, A. Pettitt 61, P. Fryer 60, T. Farthing 60, G. Gentle 60, A. Little 59, W. Warner 59, C. Knight 58, S. Ember 58, V. Cox 57, W. Gawthorne 55, L. Cohen 53, A. Casimir 53, E. Barton 51, A. Bruce 44, Kirk 41, P. Griffin 38.

PORTLAND, Tuesday.

The following were the principal scores made at the rifle range at 200 and 300 yards:—W. Thomas 69, G. McManus 68, G. Goodman 62, C. Miller 62, D. Miller 59, J. T. Evans 60, G. Doig 55, C. Tozer 54. At 300 yards, the following scores were made, the conditions being 15 shots each:—W. Thomas 69, G. McManus 65, C. Miller 64, D. Miller 61, J. Evans 61, G. Goodman 60, G. Doig 58, C. Tozer 58.

ENCOURAGING IMMIGRATION.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Yesterday I called at the Government Immigration Department, Martin-place, and intimated that I desired to arrange for the assisted passages from London to Sydney of a man, aged 34, his wife, aged 33, and their four children, aged respectively 7, 6, 3, and 2 years. I was informed that my nomination of this family could not be accepted, as the department, under instructions from the Premier himself, was now only accepting nominations from a husband here for his wife and children.

This is limiting immigration with a vengeance, and as the department's action is so utterly opposed to the welfare of the community, I think the facts should be made public.

In the case in question I am prepared to give any necessary guarantee of employment here. The man is of good character, and has been in his present employment for 12 years; but as he only earns 25s a week, and has the wife and family to support, there is little prospect of this country seeing him if the present suicidal policy of the Government in withdrawing assistance towards passage money is persisted in.

If retrenchment is necessary, surely assistance to desirable British immigrants should be the last matter for the pruning knife. Or if the saving of money is not the object, is it the Trades Hall, which is dictating the policy for this country? If so, Heaven help us.

I am, etc.,

Dec. 3. AUSTRALIAN.

King Victor Emmanuel, who is said to be desirous of assuming the title of Emperor of Rome, already claims a title inferior to few in scope and grandiloquence. He is officially styled: "King of Sardinia, of France, Spain, and England, of Italy and Jerusalem, of Greece and Alexandria, of Hamburg and Sicily, Ruler of the Midway Sea, Master of the Deep, King of the Earth, Protector of the Holy Land."

ACID STOMACHS ARE DANGEROUS.

NINE-TENTHS OF ALL STOMACH TROUBLE SAID TO BE DUE TO ACIDITY.

A PHYSICIAN'S ADVICE ON CAUSE AND CURE.

A famous physician whose successful researches into the cause and cure of stomach and intestinal diseases have earned for him an international reputation, said in the course of a recent lecture that nearly all intestinal troubles, as well as many diseases of the vital organs, were directly traceable to a deranged condition of the stomach, which in turn was due nine times out of ten to excessive acidity, which not only irritated and inflamed the delicate lining of the stomach, but also set up gastritis and stomach ulcers. It is interesting to note that he condemns the use of patent medicines as well as of medical treatment for the stomach, stating that he and his colleagues have secured remarkable results by the use of ordinary bisurated magnesia, which, by neutralising the acidity of the food, removes the source of the trouble. He contends that it is as foolish to treat the stomach itself as it would be for a man who stepped on a tack to rub liniment on the foot without first removing the tack. Remove the tack and the foot will heal itself—neutralise the acid and stomach troubles will disappear. Irritating medicines and medical treatments are useless, so long as the contents of the stomach remain acid; remove the acidity, and there will be no need for medicine—the inflamed lining of the stomach will then heal itself. Sufferers from acidity should get a small bottle of bisurated magnesia from their chemist, and take half a teaspoonful in a quarter of a glass of hot or cold water after meals, repeating in fifteen minutes, if necessary, this being the dose which the doctor has found most efficacious in all cases.—Advt.

COUNTRY NEWS.

SOUTH COAST.

CLIFTON, Tuesday.

A water supply for this end of the South Coast district would at the present time be a boon. The main pipes from the Cordeaux River have long been installed, but the local service reservoir has not been completed.

All local collieries have worked remarkably well for some considerable time past. It is expected the present brisk condition of the trade will continue till the end of the month. The coke trade is also brisk. All ovens in this end of the district are kept working under high pressure.

The rush of tourists to the South Coast for the summer season has commenced. Even at this early stage all available accommodation for the Christmas holidays has been secured.

BROKEN HILL FIRES.

BROKEN HILL, Tuesday.

For the first 11 months of the year 105 fires were attended by the Broken Hill fire brigade. There were 109 calls during November.

QUARTER SESSIONS.

BROKEN HILL, Tuesday.

Judge Gibson presided over the Quarter Sessions yesterday. Frederick Pratt appealed against a conviction for vagrancy, and Gordon Miller against a conviction for a breach of the Licensing Act. In each case the appeal was dismissed and the conviction upheld with costs.

CHURCHES.

GLEN INNES, Tuesday.

The Presbyterian Church's sale of work in aid of the Missions and Women's Guild netted £50.

GOULBURN, Tuesday.

Representatives of the Church of England, Methodist, and Baptist Churches, and Salvation Army, participated in the welcome accorded last night to the Rev. Thomas Morgan, Presbyterian Moderator. Archdeacon Bartlett said they would never have uniformity this side of the grave, but he failed to see why they should not have more unity. He looked forward to the day when they might be one with the Presbyterian Church.

MUNICIPAL.

HAY, Tuesday.

The Hay Municipal Council has decided to strongly protest by telegram against the passing of the Irrigation Act now before Parliament, in so far as it affects the Hay irrigation and Hay municipality. The council had not been advised of the proposed action nor has it got a copy of the bill. They found at last night's meeting that clause 13 provides for the excision of the Hay Irrigation area in the municipal area, which would seriously affect municipal administration and finances. The council pointed out that the irrigation area is within the municipal area; that the lessees extensively use the roads and streets; that the excised portion situated as it is would lead to great difficulty of administration and probably friction. The Minister has been asked through the member for the district to amend the bill accordingly.

MASONIC.

LAWSON, Tuesday

The dedication of Lodge Blue Mountains was performed by the Deputy-Grandmaster and thirteen Grand Lodge officers on Friday evening in the presence of nearly 100 brethren. At the conclusion of the dedication ceremony Worshipful Brother N. Easterbrook was installed as Master. He subsequently invested the following officers:—I.P.M., Very Wor. Bro. J. W. Lees; S.W., Wor. Bro. Harley D. Cox; J.W., Bro. W. G. Staples; treasurer, Wor. Bro. John Wheeler; chaplain, Very Wor. Bro. S. H. Young; director of ceremonies, Wor. Bro. Craft; organist, Bro. W. H. Leaney; S.D., Bro. A. Howell; J.D., Bro. C. M. Metcalfe; I.G., Wor. Bro. W. P. T. Fowler; Tyler, Wor. Bro. J. Melville.

BATHURST, Tuesday.

A number of men employed on the Bathurst sewerage scheme have been dismissed temporarily, the reason given being the absence of the requisite pipes.

BOWRAVILLE, Tuesday.

After six months' leave of absence Mr. J. McDougall, P.M., Nambucca Heads, has resumed duty. Mr. J. McInerney, who has been acting for him, was tendered a send-off by the public before leaving the Heads.

The committee of Nambucca Heads literary Institute has decided to erect additional rooms and install a billiard table and provide other games at a cost of £200.

Although the work in connection with improvements to the harbour were commenced four months ago practically nothing permanent has yet been done. Residents fear that unless work is hurried on the bar may be again blocked, as was the case early in the year. The dredge Latona is now working on the bar.

BROKEN HILL, Tuesday

Edward John Burwood, 32, president of the Hotel, Club and Restaurant Employees' Union, died in the hospital on Sunday from pneumonia, after a brief illness. Deceased was a cook. Two other victims of pneumonia were William Butson and E. C. Webb. The latter was a private in F Company 71st Infantry.

GLEN INNES, Tuesday.

Lieutenant Martin opened a school of instruction in physical drill, etc., for the public teachers on the local showground yesterday. The classes will extend over two weeks.

WAGGA, Tuesday.

Robert James Beaver and a score of other persons were before the local police court as the result of a raid on what was alleged to be a common gaming-house. Beaver was charged with being the keeper of a common gaming-house, and the others with being on the premises without lawful excuse. Some pleaded guilty, and were fined £2. Others pleaded not guilty, and the charges were withdrawn, owing to a technical objection as to the manner in which the information had been framed. Beaver was fined £10, or three months in gaol.

LATE SPORTING.

THE TURF.

A number of gallops were recorded on the "magpie" grass track at Randwick yesterday morning, which was in capital going order. Royal Merv and Salarino were on equal terms at the end of five furlongs, run in 1m 8¼s, and St. Medoc, Jacamar, and Moorilla all put in useful work, finishing at the back of the course. Danaus and Charleville put in useful work over five furlongs; while Achilla spurted freely over a few furlongs. Leta negotiated six furlongs strongly, and Maldant did likewise. Miocene took 1m 51s to run a mile, and Popinjay was not extended at all. Adgio did steady work, and Malthusian traversed six furlongs in 1m 23¼s. Silesia spurted, while Miss Enid's task was similar. Midge B. was not out of half-pace work, and Embracer and Waltz left six furlongs behind in 1m 21s. Crown Grant and Od'st were level at the end of nine furlongs run in 2m 1s. Matouree and Beverage each did steady work, and Golden Ladder spurted freely over three furlongs, and Beragoon left half a mile behind in 53s, and Alured did nothing of note. Sunlike put in a smart half-mile gallop. Eric easily ran nine furlongs in 2m 10s, while Mirabexia ran half a mile in good style. Dr. Hart took 1m 8s for five furlongs, Waterglass doing the same journey in 1m 7s. Menes did steady work, and Coronata and a companion ran six furlongs in 1m 21s; Kentucky Girl taking 1m 23¼s for a similar journey. Gigandra went usefully over five furlongs, and Antho and another ran half a mile in 52s. On the tan Wool ran once round usefully, and Prince Lack and Blairgour each spurted. Cider put in easy work, and several others pottered about.

Local patrons of pony and galloway racing will be catered for at Ascot this afternoon, when the first day of their £1000 meeting will be held. All the events have filled well, and as the pick of the small horses are engaged, and the track is in first-class order, a pleasant afternoon's sport seems assured. A service of special race trams will leave the Circular Quay and the railway every few minutes after noon, and will land passengers at the racecourse gates, while the ordinary Botany service will also be available. The first event is timed to start at 2. The following selections may run well:—Approved Stakes: Tanbrook, Revere, Marmier. Fourteen-one Handicap: Atherdon, My Lily, Electric Belle. Novice Handicap: First Division, Sheffield or Lady Sydney; second division, Locket or Kenara; third division, Happy Kit or Lady Noian. Flying Welter: Carwynan, Matinee, Cres 'O. Thirteen-three Handicap: Maid of Athens, Green Rose, Bobadil Maid. Fourteen-two Handicap: Wallbrook, Lemberg, Lawn Bee. Ascot Handicap: M.K., Lord Lunn, Alberto.

Carlo has been struck out of the Carrington Stakes.

General events for the minor handicaps to be decided at the Sydney Tattersall's Club annual race meeting to be held on December 28 and January 1 next close with the secretary, Mr. J. B. Olliffe, at 4 p.m. on Monday next. The ten events carry £2875 in added money.

KEMBLA GRANGE RACING CLUB.

FIRM WINS KEMBLA MILE.

KEMBLA GRANGE, Tuesday.

The Kembla Grange Racing Club held a meeting to-day. The weather was fine, the attendance large, and the course in first-class order after the recent showers. The fields were good. Results:—

Hurdle Race of 60 sovs, 2m.—Mr. A. Coleman's b h King Lucre, by Goldbar—Lemonade, 10st 12lb (Scowan), 1; Mr. J. A. Long's Ask Me, 9st (Philipps), 2; Mr. G. Barnett's Sourabaya, 9st 10lb (Trenowrth), 3. Other starters: Master Gamba, 10st 7lb; Kairoma, 10st; Aeolus, 9st 10lb; Rutter, 9st; Floating, 9st; Bell, 9st; Eclat, 9st. Betting: 5 to 2 v Rutter, 5 to 1 v Sourabaya, 7 to 1 v King Lucre. Won comfortably by 10 lengths. Time, 4m 3½s.

Flying Handicap of 50 sovs, 6f.—Mr. A. Davies' b f Irishwoman, by Machine Gun—Seabird, 7st (Pino), 1; Mr. J. Leitch's Latrooma, 8st 2lb (S. Mackay), 2; Mr. C. M'Keown's Valmia, 7st 8lb (M'Keown), 3. Other starters: Sinceritas, 7st 4lb. Betting: 6 to 4 v Latrooma, 2 to 1 v Sinceritas, 3 to 1 v Irishwoman, 7 to 1 v Valmia. Won by two lengths. Time, 1m 15¼s.

Grange Stakes of 50 sovs, 6f.—Mr. C. O'Rourke's blk g Gunilla, by Machine Gun—Gunilla, 7st 8lb (Mackay), 1; Mr. S. R. Lamond's Eastertide, 7st 6lb (Townsend), 2; Mr. M. Thompson's Aleberry, 7st 5lb (Hook), 3. Other starters: Tally Blue, 8st 10lb; Brewage, 7st 12lb; Lady Content, 7st 11lb; Bonny Ben, 7st 8lb; Aerobelle, 7st 8lb; Queen of Sauts, 7st 5lb; Bon Vivant, 7st 5lb; Manege, 7st 5lb; St. Antoine, 7st 4lb; Perversion, 7st 4lb; Lucky Bill, 8st 4lb; Phobos, 7st; Pan Patch, 7st. Betting: 5 to 1 each v Perversion, Gunilla, and Eastertide, 7 to 1 v Lady Content, 10 to 20 to 1 each v the others. Won by a length, after a good race. Time, 1m 16s.

Two-year-old Handicap of 50 sovs, 4½f.—Mr. R. Adcock's b f Lizzie Wanken, by Waukenphast (imp.)—Lizzie, 8st 9lb (M'Gee), 1; Mr. A. W. Dawes' Lord Rouvray, 9st (Bouston), 2; Mr. W. Tindill's Wallingford, 9st (Hood), 3. Other starter: Poissteen, 9st. Betting: 2 to 1 on Lizzie Wanken, 4 to 1 v Lord Rouvray, 10 to 1 each v the others. Won by half a length. Time 57s.

District Purse of 25 sovs, 6f.—Mr. W. Johnstone's b g Natuna, by Rice (imp.)—Torchlight, 7st 7lb (Foley), 1; Mr. E. Jones' Wandama, 9st (Walker), 2; Mr. W. Maroney's Bright Boy, 9st 9lb (M'Gee), 3. Other starters: Lady Warpaint, 10st 10lb; Australia, 9st sub; Breakpan, 7st 7lb. Betting: 2 to 1 v Wandama, 4 to 1 each v Natuna and Bright Boy, 5 to 1 v Lady Warpaint, 10 to 1 v Breakpan. Won by half a length. Time, 1m 31½s.

Kembla Mile, of 50 sovs, 1m.—Mr. L. C. Hurley's b f Firm, by Grafton (imp.)—Constans, 8st 10lb (Stuart) 1; Mr. J. Leitch's Latrooma, 8st 7lb (Mackay), 2; Mr. N. M'Kenna's Labonne 9st (Neil), 3. Other starters: Memeret, 8st 12lb, Nonentity, 7st 10lb; Maroomba, 7st 7lb; Fulminic, 7st 7lb. Betting: 5 to 4 v Firm, 4 to 1 v Maroomba, 5 to 1 each v Memeret and Latrooma, 10 to 1 each v Nonentity and Fulminic. Won by six lengths. Time, 1m 48s.

FEILDING JOCKEY CLUB.

PERONELLA WINS SEVENTH FEILDING STAKES.

WELLINGTON (N.Z.), Monday.

The principal race at the Feilding Jockey Club's Spring meeting resulted as under:—

Seventh Feilding Stakes of 500 sovs; second 100, and third horse 50 sovs from the prize. 1m.—Mr. W. Nidd's b f Peronella, by Maltster—Patron, 6st 8lb, 1; Expect, 8st 2lb, 2; Nightwatch, 6st 2lb, 3. Seven started. Won by two lengths. Time, 1m 6 2-5s.

TATTERSALL'S CLUB RACE MEETING.

The official handicapper has declared the following weights for the Carrington Stakes and the Tattersall's Club Cup, the two principal races in connection with the Sydney Tattersall's Club race meeting, to be held on December 28 and January 1:—

CARRINGTON STAKES.—6f.

	st	lb		st	lb
Gigandra	10	8	Grafoline	7	8
Beverage	9	8	Veneta	7	8
Kuringai	9	2	Maitland	7	7
Yarrum	9	1	Silvus	7	6
Mali Mary	9	1	Plaintain	7	5
Blairgour	9	0	Cyanide's Daughter	7	5
Wild West	8	11	Merton Lad	7	4
Irishman	8	11	Bellara	7	4
Precious	8	9	Our Alf	7	4
Pontano	8	9	All Good	7	4
Nowara Eiya	8	9	Ruby Hampton	7	4
Malthusian	8	9	Toinette	7	3
Overdee	8	8	Welcomide	7	3
Mavas	8	7	Kentucky Girl (imp.)	7	3
St. Medoc	8	5	Orama	7	0
Hot Air	8	3	Limelight (imp.)	7	0
Sir Willie	8	2	Dr. Hart	7	0
Moncatjer	8	2	Warman	6	12
Golden Hop	8	1	Malheur	6	12
Sunlike	8	0	King Mostyn	6	12
Lady Maltster	7	13	Ayr Girl	6	12
Mirabexia	7	13	Cool Air	6	11
Appearance	7	13	Master Flavus	6	10
Brave Heart	7	13	Sweet Bay	6	10
Salarino	7	12	Parata	6	10
Florentina	7	12	Messina	6	10
Merv Lad	7	11	Border King	6	9
Ioli	7	10	Lord Holman	6	7
Barley Water	7	10	Rymerhild	6	7
Wyalla	7	10	Coronata	6	7
Rovigno	7	9	Omar Khayyam	6	7
Menes	7	10	Happy Miss	6	7
Albeite	7	10			
Relievo	7	8			

TATTERSALL'S CLUB CUP.—1¼m.

	st	lb		st	lb
Cadonia	9	4	Angelique	7	6
Beverage	8	12	Lord Hybla	7	5
Jacamar	8	10	Prince Lack	7	3
Danaus	8	10	Lady Hope	7	3
Eric	8	9	Alured	7	3
Kuringai	8	7	Ioli	7	3
Ocean Blue	8	7	Merton Lad	7	0
Matouree	8	5	Hallmark	6	13
Zilpen	8	4	Odict	6	11
Delorium	8	1	Crown Grant	6	11
Wool	8	1	Adgio	6	11
Marlee	8	1	Rubecula	6	11
Pontano	8	1	Limelight (imp.)	6	11
Dulus	8	1	Postmatum	6	10
St. Medoc	8	1	Orama	6	10
Wild West	8	0	Rue Victoria	6	9
Golden Hop	7	11	Embracer (imp.)	6	9
John Willie	7	10	Waltz	6	7
Strathrovale	7	9	Leta	6	7
Mandowa	7	8	Master Flavus	6	7
Rovigno	7	7	Allingamite	6	7
Moorilla	7	6	Sequarious	6	7
Lochano	7	6	Necktie (imp.)	6	7
Mutilator	7	5	Boy Blue	6	7

NEW SOUTH WALES TROTTING CLUB.

The following handicaps have been declared in connection with the New South Wales Trotting Club's meeting, to be held at Epping on Monday, December 9:—

Trial Handicap, 1m 1f.—Huon Girl (late Dolly Huon), Huon Star, scr.; Tod, 2s bhd.; Ophar, Medlow Chief, 4s bhd.; Mary Gibbs, Millie's Bobbie, Prince Irvington, 5s bhd.; Desire, Burlington Chief, Gay Laddie, 6s bhd.; Strathmore, Patricia, 8s bhd.; Kitty's Tux, 9s bhd.

Flying Handicap, 1m 1f.—Black Forest, Junee, scr.; Koh-i-noor, 1s bhd.; Huon Boccaccio, Doreen H., Patrick G., 3s bhd.

Tramway Handicap, 1m 1f.—Huon Star, Desire, scr.; Baby Jack, Daisy S., 1s bhd.; Tralee, Kitty's Tux, 2s bhd.; Plain Bill, Duchess, 3s bhd.; Login B., Billken, Dan Dillan, Don Tux, 4s bhd.; Sir Ribblenwood, Strathbar, Whirlwood, 5s bhd.; Mary True, Bright Cloud, Sunny South, 6s bhd.; Daisy B., 10s bhd.

Trotting Club Handicap, 1½m.—Toby, Kingswood, scr.; Coogee (late Bronte), Narragansett, jun., Prince Ronald, 1s bhd.; Rebel B., 3s bhd.; Daisy V., 5s bhd.; Prince Valdemar, 10s bhd.; Rose E.M., 11s bhd.; Mahomet, 12s bhd.; Sailor Prince, 15s bhd.

Epping Handicap, 1½m.—Plain Bill, Whistle, Sir Ribbonwood, Dan Dillan, Mahomet, scr.; Bright Cloud, Bay Dave, 1s bhd.; Junee, 2s bhd.; Blackwood, Black Forest, 3s bhd.; Koh-i-noor, 5s bhd.; Marie Direct, 6s bhd.; Doreen H., 7s bhd.; Patrica G., Huon Boccaccio, 8s bhd.

MAITLAND JOCKEY CLUB.

WEST MAITLAND, Tuesday.

The following nominations have been received for the Maitland Jockey Club races on Saturday next:—

Flying Handicap, 6f.—Sir Willie, Terragong, Boolgoney, Jewelstone, Plaintain, Brightic, River Bird, Frisco Lass, Rhynerchild, It's Funny, Toinette.

Welter Handicap, 7f.—Nicosia, Honey Boy, Mozarto, Remcia Skopel, Haut Lyon, Rue, Victoria, Sir Gibbie, Burnoey, Parapett, Royal Mount, River Bird, Polish, Cralema, Clara Merv, Dermot, [illegible], Toy, Silvanstet, Lady Terrell, Miss [illegible], Blacknalt.

Maitland Handicap, 1¼m.—Falran, John Willie, Aba, Lady Hope, Taralga, Chert Chert, North Coast, Lady Legation.

Novice Handicap, 6f.—Metala, Haut Lyon, Happy Miss, Dermot, Steppingstone, Lily Moran, Light of Merv, Peppin—Dawn, Jetsam, Popinga, Chief Boy, Strathlam, Jack Hampton, Prize Gun, Whesty, Miss Legation, Darby, Kelly, Barmeny, City Gun, It's Prudent, Famous, Ike, Aima, Queen Pia.

Rutherford Handicap, 1m.—Rue Victoria, River Bird, Sadara, At Ease, Cralema, It's Funny, Lady Terrell, John O' Groats, Lady True, Bewilder.

CRICKET.

N.S.W. INTERSTATE TEAM.

The selectors for the New South Wales Cricket Association, Messrs. Trumper, Howard, and Lane, have decided upon the following 12 players, from whom the team to represent the State against Victoria and South Australia will be chosen:—V. T. Trumper (captain), C. G. Macartney, E. L. Waddy, P. S. Arnott, G. R. Hazlitt, S. H. Emery, R. J. A. Massie, C. McKew, J. D. Scott, E. F. Barbour, C. Kelleway, and R. B. Minnett. Messrs. Carter, Cotter, Hordern, Bardsley, and Gregory are not available.

The team will leave Sydney on Thursday, December 17, and will commence the match against South Australia on December 20; play will start every day but Saturday at 11 a.m. The opening day for the match against Victoria is set down for Boxing Day. Mr. R. Tyler has been appointed manager of the team.

MATCH AGAINST GOULBURN.

The proposed match on Saturday, Burwood against Goulburn, has been abandoned, owing to the former club being unable to send a team.

FOREST REEF, Tuesday.

In a return match, the local club defeated Millthorpe by 27 runs; the scores being 107 to 80.

GOULBURN, Tuesday.

In the match between the Civil Service and Kenmore, the former scored 140, and Kenmore, 116 for two wickets. G. Tickner 47, Dr. Hogg 40, both not out.

MUDGEE, Tuesday.

Association matches on Saturday resulted:—Limestone, 122 (Clifton 50) defeated Mudgee, 63 (W. Rayner, 17 not out), by 59 runs on the first innings. Geddes took five wickets for 22 for Mudgee, and W. Cox five for 30 for Limestone. Lawson's Creek, 129 for six wickets, innings closed (J. Mills 27, H. Barton, 25 not out, A. Moore 29), defeated Frome's Creek, 29 and 75 by an innings and 25 runs. Independents, 215 for five wickets, innings closed (A. Gentle 60, G. Stoddart 40, R. Wessell 26 not out, F. Wilton 23 not out) defeated Budgee, 66. G. Stoddart, (Independents') took eight wickets for 14 runs.

LAWN TENNIS.

BRITISH ISLES v NEW SOUTH WALES.

The players to represent New South Wales against the British Isles team will be decided upon to-day.

BOWLS.

THE INTERSTATE TEAM.

Mr. Arthur Chandler has been appointed manager of the New South Wales team for the Victorian tour. Some of the players will journey overland, but the majority will be passengers by the Orama, leaving Sydney at noon on December 21.

On Wednesday next Mr. Gardiner, president of the Newcastle Club, is bringing a team from Newcastle to return Mr. Spence's team's visit. Mr. Spence has invited the Melbourne team and emergencies to oppose the Newcastle contingent.

CYCLING AND MOTORING.

NOTES.

Following are the handicaps for the one mile track race of the Australian R.C., to be run on the Sports Ground to-night: R. Spears, P. Mutton, scr; R. Mutton, 30yds; H. Wilkinson, A. E. Weston, 70yds; J. Comimars, W. J. Schmidt, C. Payne, 80yds; J. Creely, H. Vickery, 90yds; F. Gorr, 100yds; L. Smith, 110yds; H. V. Woods, F. Williamson, G. Upham, 120yds; A. Bennett, 125yds; H. V. Mann, L. M'Gregor, 130yds; C. Drisler, 145yds; F. Hallan, W. Hessen, A. W. Pearce, 140yds; P. Wedlock, F. Bennessai, A. Byers, 155yds; C. Lenton, W. J. Lavers, H. J. Bott, 165yds.

The Summer Hill R.C. is holding a general meeting of members at the club rooms to-morrow night. The result of the 10 miles members' road race on Saturday was: H. Parker 1, T. Annear 2, C. R. East 3 and fastest time, 30m 46s.

SWIMMING.

LEICHHARDT AMATEUR CLUB.

The above club will hold the following events on Saturday:—55yds senior handicap and 55yds junior handicap.

H. Miller, V. Johnson, E. Lyons, J. Murray, Jim Murray, J. Halliday, and J. Halliday will represent the club against Manly at the Domain Baths on Friday night.

BOXING.

SULLIVAN v TILL.

The contest down for decision at the Stadium to-night is one of 20 rounds between Sid Sullivan and Paul Till. The men will be in the ring at 8.45, and the contest will be handled by Arthur Scott, assisted by two judges.

MESSRS. BURNS, PHILP, AND CO. AND THE ISLAND TRADE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—The name of my company was so frequently mentioned in the debate in the committee of the Senate on Friday last in connection with the clause in the Navigation Bill allowing free foreign coloured competition in the Papuan-Australian trade, and as there seemed to be some impression that my company desired to secure a monopoly, I would like to state what the position of the company is—that for about a third of a century we have striven to draw the Pacific Island trade to Australia, and we claim that by energetic action, and at a heavy initial loss we have been successful in gaining a large portion of that trade for Australia which would otherwise have passed to foreigners. In this we have been helped considerably the last 12 years by the Commonwealth Government, who have given material assistance in the various island services run.

In every Pacific trade we now run we are opposed by foreign vessels, which are run upon conditions very much more economical and favourable than we are allowed to conduct our business upon under Australian conditions. In this way we are competing against four or five nationalities for the island trade, and by the decision of the Commonwealth Parliament we have now to consider that where the entry of foreigners is supposed to be beneficial to the white residents, then such foreign subsidised coloured shipping competition is allowable and needful in the interests of the territory or islands affected.

We have never demurred to the competition of British traders who are not usually subsidised, and we do not cavil at the decision of the Government, although we think that if a navigation bill is adopted it should, as far as possible, be uniform and carried out upon some definite principle. We fear no outside competition, always provided anything like equal conditions prevail, and regret that many of our friends consider that as we have been so successful in our efforts we should not be further encouraged to draw the scattered island trade to Australia.

We were always very closely associated with Papua in its earlier days, and worked closely with the Imperial Government representatives of New Guinea before federation, spending thousands of pounds in testing the adaptability of the country for various products, trading, and encouraging settlement, etc. Many of the residents must acknowledge that we have helped them in many ways, but now, with the Commonwealth Government expenditure, and the consequent expectation of further expansion, it may be only natural that the newer arrivals should prefer foreign Eastern steam services to Australian vessels run on local lines, and the endorsement of this sentiment by the Government can only be fraught with important result in the future. Our company has embarked such a large sum in the Western Pacific that it would not be possible now lightly abandon the trade; but the matter is a serious one, and we may have to refer the whole matter to the 500 or 600 Australian shareholders who are interested in our company.

To put the whole matter in a nutshell, Australian conditions and the new Navigation Bill mean thousands of pounds extra expenditure to my company, which, even with the Commonwealth subsidy received, will handicap and cripple the employment of Australian vessels in the Pacific Island trade, and the question must soon arise as to whether it may not be advisable to choose a new centre of operations free from the legislation of the Commonwealth, and clear of the condemnation which now seems to attach to any successful operations originating in Australia.

If those gentlemen who talk about my company possessing a "monopoly," and using it to injure Papuan interests, could only stand in my shoes and find themselves called upon to satisfy the company's shareholders as to the wisdom of nursing the Papuan trade for long years as we have done, and at considerable cost, they would begin to understand, and I think regret the views they have expressed. In the years gone by many is the steamer we have despatched to Papua with less than 20 tons of cargo, and with only one or two passengers. High rates naturally existed then, but, no matter how high, expenses could not be met. As the trade grew, however, freights became lower and lower. During the years of struggle no foreign competitors offered to take up our work; it was only when some return seemed likely to be made to us that they entered into competition, which sometimes took the form of reducing rates below the cost of running.

I might point out that my company is bound by the contract with the Commonwealth Government to charge only certain agreed rates, which are low enough for anything, and the Minister has power to summarily terminate the contract if he has "reason to believe" that it is not being carried out in accordance with "the terms and true intent" of the agreement. From start to finish, therefore, both the Commonwealth and Papua are on the safe side, so that in no case can the idea of monopoly associated with the term monopoly be entertained.

I am, etc.,

JAMES BURNS,

Managing Director Burns, Philp, and Co., Ltd.

Dec. 2.

RUSSELL CASE.

ROYAL COMMISSION'S INQUIRIES

DISMISSED MINER'S EVIDENCE.

(FROM OUR SPECIAL REPORTER.)

WOLLONGONG, Tuesday.

The Russell case was advanced another stage to-day, when Judge Scholes, sitting as Royal Commissioner at Wollongong, heard evidence regarding the dismissal of James Russell from the Mount Kembla colliery. The terms of the commission were identical with those of the commission recently issued to and resigned by Mr. Justice Heydon—to inquire into the circumstances of, and reasons for, Russell's dismissal. Mr. R. Windeyer (instructed by Messrs. J. Stuart Thom Bros. and Co.) appeared for the Mount Kembla Coal and Oil Co.; Mr. A. A. Lysaght, for Russell; and Mr. Bowling for the Colliery Employees' Association.

In answer to his Honor, Mr. Lysaght said he was prepared to allow the evidence given by Russell at Wollongong and Sydney to go in with one qualification. Russell was reported to have stated before Mr. Justice Heydon that he told Foy (an employee at Mount Kembla) that he was doing other miners out of work. What Russell did say was that he told Foy he was doing miners' work, the work of a practical miner.

Mr. Windeyer said he would argue that the evidence was correct, and could only go in subject to Russell's sworn statement that he did not say it.

Russell's evidence previously published in the "Herald" was then read. It was to the effect that Foy met him on his way home from work, and asked whether he was doing wrong in working more than eight hours. Russell told him that for anyone doing miner's work eight hours was the award, but advised him to go on doing as told by the manager until the lodge met and decided the question. Shortly afterwards he (witness) was given 14 days' notice to quit, no reason being assigned.

Cross-examined by Mr. Windeyer, Russell said he told Foy (in answer to a question) that they had a local agreement with the management that anyone doing miner's work should only work eight hours. In the case of necessary work it was not considered to be a breach of agreement for a man to work nine hours. He denied that for years past the men engaged in shooting and boring had been working nine hours. He was a member of a deputation which on one occasion waited upon Mr. Jarvie, manager of Mount Kembla, and told him that the pit would be laid idle if the award was not complied with.

Mr. Windeyer was proceeding to ask the witness about some trouble that occurred in 1909, when Mr. Lysaght objected.

Mr. Windeyer: The employers wish to show that Russell has been a constant source of aggravation for years, until it became a question whether Russell would be dismissed or Mr. Jarvie retire.

Mr. Lysaght: Russell was dismissed for an alleged breach of rule 196, and it is now advanced for the first time that he carried out a course of aggravation for years.

His Honor allowed Mr. Windeyer to proceed, on the ground that his examination might tend to show that Russell had adopted such a course.

Continuing, Russell said there had been a good deal of trouble at the mine over deficiency places. He himself had been put into a place that was claimed to be deficient, and had proved it to be not deficient. He had made considerably more than wages. The manager was pleased apparently with his efforts, and had paid him a few extra shillings.

Counsel referred witness to a number of occasions on which he was alleged to have acted in a manner calculated to cause trouble between the management and the men. Russell denied having ever acted in such a way. He had been a member of several deputations at which the manager was told that unless certain things were done the pit would stop working, but in each case motions had previously been passed by the lodge, and he was merely acting as the mouthpiece. He had no power as secretary to act without instructions from the lodge.

In examination by Mr. Lysaght witness stated that he had worked at Mount Kembla in different capacities for over 12 years. He had always been on good terms with the under-manager and the deputies, and during his seven years' lodge secretaryship no complaint had been made as to the manner in which he discharged his duties. Mr. Jarvie had expressed appreciation of his work, and had told a deputation that approached him regarding deficiency places that he wished they were all as good workers as Russell and Wilson (the lodge president, who was also present). He had on more than one occasion prevented a stoppage by advising the men to adopt peaceable methods. Even since his dismissal he had spoken publicly to the men, and advised them to adopt constitutional methods for the adjustment of the grievance.

Messrs. E. McGuire and S. Bird (president and treasurer respectively of the Illawarra Colliery Employees' Association) gave evidence to the effect that Russell had used his influence to keep the men at work when they had practically decided to stop the pit. They had seen Mr. Jarvie with regard to Russell's dismissal, who said the reason was the violation of rule 196.

William Foy stated that Russell had advised him not to do anything contrary to the manager's orders. After his conversation with Russell he worked about eight and a half hours on Sunday night, 10 hours on Monday, and 11 on Tuesday. He was engaged in boring and firing. Russell had never given him any orders contrary to the management, or asked him to do anything they did not wish. Russell had suggested that he should go to the manager and tell him that according to the lodge rules he should only work eight-hour shifts.

The commission adjourned till 10 o'clock to-morrow.

SULTRINESS CONTINUES.

LIGHT STORM IN THE CITY.

SCATTERED LIGHT RAIN.

Since Monday a general slump in barometric pressure has favoured the predominance of seasonal conditions over the greater part of Australia, more particularly in Central [illegible], where a closed curve depression has developed. This latter, acting in conjunction with Antarctic influences, has so far been responsible for unsettled and severe thundery weather almost generally over South Australia and the territory, with light to heavy rain at many places. Elsewhere over the continent sultry weather, and Victoria reports thunderstorms and light to moderate rain in the western half of the State.

In New South Wales light amounts have been recorded at places on the Central and South Coast and Blue Mountains, and at one or two places on the southern tableland and in Riverina. The largest was 30 points at Bombala, Kurrajong had 20 points, Pambula 17, Bateman's Bay 12, Candelo 11, and Newcastle, Bega, Springwood, and Lawson each 10 points. At Sydney 5 points were recorded, with a light southerly change at 11 p.m.

At 9 a.m. yesterday it was cloudy to overcast at many places, chiefly along the coast and in southern districts, with misty rain on the Blue Mountains, and showers at Kurrajong and Ballina, otherwise fine and sultry. Mungindi advises the highest temperature for some time, 106 degrees, Mogil 104, Jerry's Plains 105, otherwise the mid-day readings were all in the eighties or nineties (degrees). The lowest night registrations were:—Kosciusko and Kiandra each 31 degrees.

A slight thunderstorm occurred in the city early yesterday evening. Up to 9 p.m. nine points of rain were recorded.

HEAVY STORM.

ADELAIDE, Tuesday.

At 2 o'clock this morning a large part of the State experienced the most brilliant electrical disturbance known for many years. Heavy rain fell in many parts. In places trees were uprooted, windows smashed, and sheds and stables unroofed, but generally the storm was remarkably free from serious consequences.

BROKEN HILL.—The total rainfall so far this year in Broken Hill amounts to 14 inches 20 points. This is almost a record.

NARRANDERA.—After a spell of sultry heat the town was visited at midday on Tuesday with a severe duststorm. For a few minutes the wind blew with great force, resulting in considerable damage to telephone wires and ornamental trees.

WAGGA.—A violent wind storm, followed by heavy rain, passed over the district on Tuesday afternoon. The storm had a bad effect on the orchards, and also damaged some of the wheat crops.

SKIN TROUBLE ON NECK AND HEAD.

Grantham-street, West Kogarah, Sydney, N.S.W.—"I had suffered for ten months with a skin disease, which broke out around my neck and head, and also on the upper part of my lower limbs and on the back of my hips. The complaint first broke out as a pimple, and in less than a fortnight there were sores all over me. I tried several different remedies, but made no sign of getting better. Some of my friends told me of the Cuticura Remedies, and I got both the Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment. Before having used them one week the itchiness had disappeared, and I was enabled to have a peaceful sleep.

"Before that I could not sleep of a night, because every time I moved I would stretch the skin round the sores, and then I would lie on my side for three weeks because the pain used to be too great when I would attempt to lie on my back. It was almost the same with my neck and head until I used the Cuticura Soap and Ointment. I can truthfully say that they have cured my skin disease." (Signed) F. E. Breakspear, November, 8, 1911.

Although Cuticura Soap and Ointment are sold throughout the world, a sample of each, with 32-page Skin Book, will be mailed free on application to R. Towns and Co., Dept. M., Sydney, N.S.W.—Advt.

THE QUEST OF THE GOLDEN ROSE.

BY JOHN OXENHAM.

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BOOK II.—THE YEAR TWO.

CHAPTER XVII.

BACK TO LIFE.

If Helme woke at all during the next twenty-four hours it was only to roll over on to his other side and go to sleep again.

When at the end of that time he came fully to himself, and recalled his wrestle with the glacier, it was good to lie quietly, and let the deep thankfulness of his heart have play. He had been very near to death. He had escaped by the miraculous one chance out of a hundred. He was grateful.

The morning sun was shining in through the open window. On the table by the head of his bed was a blue bowl full of white chrysanthemums and sprays of coral rowan-berries. He could hear Heidi talking downstairs. He suddenly discovered that he was ravenous. If she did not come up soon he would ring for her.

Meanwhile, simply to lie there, alive and warm, after the chill embrace of the glacier, was enough. It was good to be alive and hungry.

Then his door opened softly and Roslein's face peeped in, and at sight of him wide awake she came in joyfully, with Barri at her heels.

"You are better, leibste Herr?" and Barri reared himself up with his front paws on the bed, and looked down at him with benevolent curiosity. "You have slept and slept till we thought you were never going to wake again."

"It's a lot more comfortable here than on that ledge, Roschen," he said, pulling Barri's huge ear-flaps.

"I'm sure!" and Barri pushed his head under his hand for more endearments.

"And I'm as hungry as Barri would be if he had nothing to eat for a week."

"I will run and tell Heidi and Herr Gunter. They will be glad. He has kept getting things ready for you, but you would not wake to eat them," and she was at the door when he asked:

"And Luigi?"

"Ah, then," with a shake of the head. "They have dug and dug, but much snow came down from the arete that day, and so far they have found nothing. Maybe they will not find him now till the spring."

"And Little Nette?"

"She 's living with me till we know. She 's sitting just outside the front door here. I shall tell her you asked for her. It will make her glad. But first I will tell Heidi you are dying for food," and she ran off, leaving Barri in charge.

They were all back in a few minutes, bringing between them a meal that did him good just to look at, and, more still, to stow away with a gusto that Herr Gunter took as highest compliment to himself.

He sat on a chair facing the invalid and expatiated on his own dishes, and cheered him on to their demolishment, and punctuated it all with exclamations of wonder and thankfulness, at sight of him setting there and eating and drinking in so wholesome and lively a fashion after all he had gone through.

"Herrgott, but it is wonderful. To have come right through the glacier, and to be alive and sitting in your bed and eating as if nothing had happened. Never in this world has such a thing been done before. If you could only show them how you did it, Herr, they would make a climb of it and Obergaarde would be famous."

"I wouldn't wish my worst enemy to go through that, Herr Gunter. One would only do it with Death behind one and Life in front."

"They would soon make it possible if once they found the way," said Herr Gunter, with a regretful wag of the head.

Little Nette had stolen in behind the others and dropped silently into a corner by the door. She sat staring fixedly at Helme as one returned from the dead, and thinking, no doubt, of the other for whom they were still digging in the snow over yonder.

Helme nodded her a welcome when she came in. When Heidi and Herr Gunter bustled away to their duties, he called to her and she crept to the opposite side of the bed from Barri.

"You mustn't give up hoping, Little Nette," he said, stroking the little brown cheek with the back of his finger.

But Nette shook her head hopelessly. No man could be under all that snow all this time and still live.

"Anyway, he did his best for me, I am sure."

She nodded. A guide always does his best for those in his care. She could not imagine anything else.

"Nette is wondering what she will do if Luigi never comes back," said Roslein, with simple directness.

"We must see to that. What would you like to do, little Nette?"

"I do not want to be sent to Italy," she said very decidedly. "I would like to live with Roslein and Barri always, as I do now."

Poor little Nette, with the wistful face and the pitiful misshapen body. She knew already what it was to be looked at askance, which was bitterness—and how it felt to sit aloof while the others played; and she turned to the hearts that had always been open wide to her, and shrank from the thought of going among strangers.

"We will all do our best to make you happy, little Nette," said Helme reassuringly.

"Of course," said Roslein, conclusively.

But Helme, with all his kindly feeling and intense pity for the child, could not but also feel that her future was something of a problem with which Roslein might find it difficult to cope.

The future, however, has a way of its own of resolving difficult problems, and he was not one to make mountains out of mole-hills, not even to stumble over mole-hills before he got to them.

CHAPTER XVIII.

WHITE ANGELS AND BLACK.

Several causes contributed to Godfrey Pollak's success at the bar.

Mr. Chick, Q.C., was in most of the big cases that were going. He was getting on in years, and though his brilliancy as an advocate was unimpaired, the labour of getting up his cases had begun to grow distasteful. He delighted in the battle, but the preparations bored him. He loved the fighting, but wanted someone to lace his armour for him and hand him his weapons ready sharpened for the fray.

In Godfrey he discovered the very man to supplement his own laxities and lazinesses. He was proud of his discovery, and plumed himself on it.

No matter how involved and encysted in lies a case might be, if Godfrey got his teeth into it he worried away till what Chick, Q.C., expressively called "the guts of it" were laid bare, and he could at his ease employ his acumen in picking out the portions most detrimental to the enemy.

Trouble was nothing to the indefatigable junior. Trouble of this kind acted as anodyne to his other trouble, and the more he got of it the better pleased he seemed.

He would sit up all night—with a wet towel round his head if necessary—digging out hidden facts and dissecting base motives, while Chick, Q.C., passed the hours thus saved in mundane enjoyment more to his taste. A valuable man, indeed, for a Chick, Q.C., who hated trouble, detested details, and asked only for the necessary solid facts, properly arranged to his hand, wherewith to hammer and smash, and probe and pierce, the other side till it threw up the sponge, or ill-advisedly rushed on to destruction like the swine of Gadara.

Then, again, Mr. Chick, Q.C., was a noted pluralist. He accepted, or his clerk accepted for him, far more cases—and therewith fees and retainers and refreshers and emoluments generally—than he could possibly handle adequately and personally, except, of course, the emoluments. And so it frequently happened that the actual conduct of a case in court was, in his absence elsewhere, left to his junior. And his junior was not the man to let his chances slip.

But the breaking of the hopes he had based on Katherine and her fortune had induced in him somewhat of a reckless, devil-may-care spirit. If he made a success of his life—well—all the better. If he did not—well, none but himself would care or suffer.

Yes, he had to concede, Katherine would care, for the sake of old times. But what did that matter? She had got Oramore, and, from all accounts, was perfectly happy.

If he made a mess of his life—either by going too far or by not going at all—she would doubtless be sorry. But it would be only a passing regret. He had dropped out of her life—thanks to Keith Oramore.

He could never forget that. If Oramore had never come into her life, he himself might never have dropped out of it. He loathed the very name of Oramore, and never thought of her as Mrs. Keith Oramore, but always as Katherine.

And try as he might to bury all remembrance of her under mountains of work, it was all useless. The more he tried to forget her, the more he thought of her. And when he thought of her he thought of Oramore. And when he thought of Oramore he hated him and the very thought of him, and that with a depth and bitterness which lost nothing through the rigorous repression that permitted no sign of it to show. Volcanic fires may sleep for centuries beneath a smiling land, but when their time is come the fair crust crumbles, the molten lava belches forth, and the earth is smothered in dust and ashes.

Conducting Mr. Chick's cases in this spirit, he rapidly made a name for reckless audacity and impudent courage which lifted him out of the over-crowded ruck of the Junior Bar, and gained him a prominence not far removed from notoriety.

The papers caught on to him as representing almost certain possibilities of relief from the humdrum level of court routine. His fellows, and even his seniors, regarded him with amazement, and crowded to listen to him with holy joy, for he seemed to care for nobody and to hold none in respect.

Opposing counsel, no matter what their age or standing, he treated with scantest ceremony. Even Judges could not appal, though they did succeed in silencing him at times.

"I say, Pollak, you'll be getting into trouble if you go on like that, you know," said one, well-meaning, after a particularly spirited bout in the courts, during which Godfrey had been excessively, and indeed quite insufferably, insolent to the late Attorney-General, who was leading on the other side.

"Well, what the devil does it matter? It will be my trouble, won't it?" said Godfrey, brusquely.

And in that lay the root of the whole matter. Life, denied what he had hoped for, meant little for him. Success had lost its flavour. He played the game recklessly, because he did not care a hang if he lost. And so he won.

Proving himself a man after Chick, Q.C.'s, own heart, that great but over-burdened warrior put more and more in his way, and left more and more in his hands.

But warfare such as this is wearing, and natural results follow, however careless one may be of consequences.

"Yes, I'm tired," Godfrey confessed to his chief, when the long vacation came.

"You ought to be. You've worked like a Trojan. Take my advice, my boy, and get up into the mountains for a month. It'll make a new man of you. Can't have you cracking up, you know,"—this with sincerity and conviction. For the very idea of losing this trusty right hand was disturbing.

"I'm not much on mountains——"

"Better than Hanwell or a Home for Incurables. You pack up at once and go to Rosanen, up above Grund, in the Oberland, and stop there as long as you can stand it. I know what I'm talking about, my boy."

"I've got some bits of work to clear up first, then I'll give it a try. How do you get there?"

And, in due course, Godfrey did as he was told, because it was Chick, Q.C., who told him; but the bits of work took longer than he expected, and it was well into September before he could get away.

(To be continued.)

OLD-AGE PENSIONS.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

In the House of Representatives the Prime Minister said that instructions had been issued for the payment of old-age pensions before Christmas. He advised pensioners to inquire at the local post-offices as to the day on which the money would be available.

LEGAL NOTICES.

IN THE SUPREME COURT
OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
Between JAMES MERCHANT, Plaintiff,
and
STEPHEN SHADLOW, Defendant.

WHEREAS an Action has been commenced in this Court at the suit of the abovenamed JAMES MERCHANT, against the abovenamed STEPHEN SHADLOW, to recover the sum of £37 17s 6d for work and labour done by the Plaintiff for the Defendant, and it being alleged that the said Stephen Shadlow does not reside within the jurisdiction of this Court, a Writ of Foreign Attachment has been issued, returnable on the eighteenth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, wherein the Chief Commissioner for Railways and Tramways, Sydney, and Frederick Andrews, of Hilldale, Paterson, are the Garnishees. NOTICE is hereby given thereon, and if at any time before final judgment in this action the said Stephen Shadlow or any person on his behalf will give the security and notice and file the appearance and plea required in that behalf by the Common Law Procedure Act, 1899, the attachment may be Dissolved.

Dated this third day of December, one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

W. J. ENRIGHT, Plaintiff's Solicitor, West Maitland. By his Agent, SIDNEY E. PILE, Martin-chambers, Moore-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

ACCOUNTS and PLANS of DISTRIBUTION in the undermentioned Estates, showing Dividends as specified hereunder, are now filed in the Office of the Registrar in Bankruptcy, Citizens-chambers, Moore-street, Sydney, for the inspection of persons interested; and notice is hereby given that such Accounts and Plans will be submitted to the Court for confirmation on THURSDAY, 19th December, 1912, at 10 a.m., if not previously objected to:—

WILLIAM FREDERICK BURROW, of Bay-road, North Sydney, Civil Engineer (No. 18,851). A Third Account and Second Plan of Distribution, showing payment of a Second Dividend of 1/3¾ (one shilling and threepence and two-fifths of a penny) in the £ on all proved concurrent debts.

CARL GEOF. AUGUST HENRY LIEBAU, of Third-avenue, Campsie, Carpenter (No. 18,883). A Second Account and Plan of Distribution, showing payment of a dividend of 3 2-3d (threepence and two-thirds of a penny) in the £ on all proved concurrent debts.

ARTHUR EDGAR BARNES, of Spit Junction, Mosman, Storekeeper (No. 19,116). A Second Account and Plan of Distribution showing payment in full of one Crown claim (£9 8s 1d), an equalising dividend of 7/6 in the £ on eight additional debts proved since the First Account was lodged, and a Second Dividend of 1/2 in the £ on all proved concurrent debts.

JAMES GLASSON, of Gosford, Baker (No. 19,243). A First Account and Plan of Distribution showing payment of a Dividend of 9/6⅞ (nine shillings and sixpence and seven-eighths of a penny) in the £ on all proved concurrent debts.

GEORGE EDGAR CATERER, of Greenethorpe, Storekeeper (No. 19,245). A First Account and Plan of Distribution showing payment in full of preferential claims for wages (£39 [illegible]). First Dividend of 4s (four shillings) in the £ on all proved concurrent debts, and a balance of £83/8/ carried forward to the credit of the Estate.

In the following Estates, Accounts current only:—
No. 19,272, ALFRED EDWARD DAWSON, of 32 Mary-street, Leichhardt, Carpenter.
No. 19,309, IVO JOHN ROSSELY, of Culcairn, Farmer.
No. 19,314, WILLIAM JAMES ROSS, of Parkes, Labourer.
No. 19,342, JOHN BRIGHTMORE, of Pine-street, near Smith-street, Manly, Builder.

C. F. W. LLOYD,
Official Assignee.

Denman-chambers,
182 Phillip-street,
Sydney, December 3, 1912.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of GEORGE KING, late of Kingsdale, near [illegible], in the State of New South Wales, Grazier, deceased.—NOTICE is hereby given that the First Accounts in the above Estate have this day been filed in my office, Queen's-square, King-street, Sydney, and all persons having any claims on the said Estate or being otherwise interested therein are hereby required to come in before me at my said office on or before the fifteenth day of January next, at half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon, and inspect the same, and if they shall think fit object thereto; otherwise if the said accounts be not objected to the same will be examined by me and passed according to law; and notice is also hereby given that on the allowance of the said accounts by the Court commission will be applied for. Dated this 29th day of November, in the year 1912. (Sgd.) T. W. GARRETT (L.S.), Registrar. S. H. SELTHORPE, Coonamble. By COLLINS and MULHOLLAND, 64 Elizabeth-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of JANE WINGFIELD, late of Tenterfield, in the State of New South Wales, Widow, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will and Testament of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to MARY WILSON HEFFERNAN, of Tenterfield, Married Woman, the Sole Executrix named therein; and all persons having any Claims against the said deceased or her Estate or being otherwise interested therein are requested to forward particulars thereof to the undersigned; and all Notices may be served at the Office of the undersigned. JAMES FRANCIS THOMAS, Proctor for the Executrix, Tenterfield. By his Agents, MACKENZIE and MACKENZIE, City Bank-chambers, 15a Pitt-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of JOHN FINLAYSON, late of Chandler River, near Armidale, in the State of New South Wales, Grazier, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will and Testament of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to CATHERINE GRACE FINLAYSON and DONALD FRASER, the Executrix and Executor therein named, with leave reserved for GEORGE ALEXANDER McRAE, the other Executor therein named, to come in and prove the said Will should he so desire. Notices may be served at the Office of Messrs. SLY and RUSSELL, Solicitors, 369 George-street, Sydney, the Agents for the undersigned. Creditors are requested to send in their Claims to the said Executrix and Executors before the expiration of the said fourteen days. A. W. SIMPSON, Solicitor for the Executrix and Executors, Armidale. By SLY and RUSSELL, 369 George-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of ERNEST CARTER FRANKLAND, late of Tamworth, in the State of New South Wales, Salesman, deceased, intestate.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Administration of the Estate of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to GEORGE RANDELL, of North Ryde, Builder, the duly-appointed Attorney of the Widow of the said deceased; and all notices may be served and claims against the said Estate left at the office of the undersigned. A. H. GRACE, Solicitor for the Applicant, 81 Mount-street, North Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of JAMES DOYLE, late of Sydney, in the State of New South Wales, Turncock, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to JOSEPH DOYLE and KATE HERLIHY (in the Will called KATE DOYLE), the executor and executrix in the said Will named. All notices may be served at the office of the undersigned, to whom all claims should be sent forthwith. COLLINS and MULHOLLAND, Proctors for Executor and Executrix, 64 Elizabeth-street, Sydney.

BILLS OF EXCHANGE ACT, Commonwealth, Annotated by RUSSELL and EDWARDS, 20/6, posted LAW BOOK CO., Ltd., [illegible] Castlereagh-st, Syd.

LEGAL NOTICES.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of WILLIAM O'BRIEN, late of Paddington, in the State of New South Wales, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Administration, with the last Will of the abovenamed deceased annexed, may be granted to the Curator of Intestate Estates, the Executor named in the said Will having renounced Probate of the said Will, and all notices are to be served at the undermentioned address. T. W. GARRETT, Curator of Intestate Estates, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of JEP SOREN CHRISTENSEN, late of Surry Hills, Sydney, in the State of New South Wales, Master Mariner, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to CHRISTIAN PETERSEN and BERNARD EINERSON, the Executors named in the said Will; and all notices may be served at the office of the undersigned. W. E. HAWKINS, Proctor for Executors, 88 Pitt-street, Sydney.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.

THE PIANOLA COMPANY
ANNOUNCES ITS
PERIODICAL SALE OF
(50) SELDOM-USED PIANOS (50).

THE GREATEST VALUE SYDNEY HAS EVER KNOWN. VALUABLE UPRIGHTS AND GRANDS RECEIVED IN EXCHANGE FOR
THE PIANOLA PIANO
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Remarkably fine condition is the prominent characteristic of the instruments included in this Sale; only a personal inspection can give a true appreciation of this feature.

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Below we describe a few bargains:—

BLUTHNER Drawing-room Grand, ebony case. An excellent specimen of one of these fine Pianos, has had so little use that the closest inspection stamps it at once as an excellent bargain at the very low figure we are asking for it, £95.

FEURICH Drawing-room Grand.—A very handsome modern instrument in Burr Walnut. Sale Price, £75.

COLLARD and COLLARD Boudoir Grand.—This is a fine-stone instrument in Rosewood case (length 6 feet). Sale Price, £50.

ROSENKRANTZ Drawing-room Grand.—This is also a modern Piano in walnut, with an excellent tone quality. Sale Price, £60.

ERARD Drawing-room Grand.—While this is not one of the late models, it is still in an excellent state of preservation. Keyboard sound and white, action in good order, has a rosewood case. A very useful Piano for a small assembly hall. Sale Price, only £35.

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TO MILLINERS, DRAPERS, STATIONERY, Etc.
A first-class Bus., rail suburb, paying over £10 a week profit, front, 3 large windows, fine dwelling, 6 rooms. Stock, about £600 (or valuation).
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TO BUTCHERS AND OTHERS. BUTCHERING BUSINESS. If you have £200 cash I will finance you into a Business that will return £10 a week clear profit, one of the best fitted shops in busy suburb. Owner leaving for England.
H. FRANKS, Savings Bank-chambers.

RESIDENTIAL Chambers, D'hurst, superior house, always full, clears £4 over rent, lease 4 years, rent £2 5s, beautifully furn., and clean, owner leaving State, will sacrifice. Mrs. C. L., 144 Wm.-st, D'hurst.

HOTEL West, junction town, new brick house, no opposition, long lease, tak. £40, rent £3 10s, cord. plant, £700.
H. BARRY, Crick Arms Hotel, Alexandria.

BILLIARD SALOON, 3 tables, full plant, est. years, splendid position, showing large profits, full value for money, £225.
SPAIN BROS., 130 Bathurst-street.

CITY. Good Fancy Goods, Crockery, etc., Business for Sale, cheap, whole or half stock, lease, good will, dwelling, a bargain, no reasonable offer refused. 235 Oxford-st, Darlinghurst, opposite Darlinghurst-rd.

FRUIT, Conf., G'grocery, S. Drinks, with dwell., well fitted and stocked, tkg. £22 week, in very good position, selling account ill-health, price reasonable. 485 Crown-st, Surry Hills.

NEWSAGENCY for SALE, doing 9000 papers per week, blocked, splendid district, compact; principals only. No agents.
GENUINE, Herald Office.

MAN with Softgoods experience can acquire profitable old-established Business, reasonable expenditure. Every facility inspection. Replies confidential.
HONESTY, Box 241.

A BARGAIN, sale through serious illness, newly Furn. Modern 8-rmd. Boarding-house, Park-rd, rent 32s, with Boarders, £135. Good value furniture, no goodwill. Apply M. A. K., Herald.

NEWSAGENCY, Stationery, Fancy Goods, in progressive country town, 7000 papers weekly at £65 per 1000, shop trade £45, more than double Xmas week. Stock and Fittings at val. Quick sale. Milton, Herald.

FOR Sale, on account of illness, Wood-Coal Business, comprising oil engine, almost new, coaches, 'bus, cab, carts, dray, sulky, horses.
EWER, Main-street, Lithgow.

[illegible]IT. Confectionery, Soda Fountain Business, busiest [illegible] street, opposite picture show, trade £30, improving daily, [illegible]
IMMEDIATE, Paddington P.O.

GROCERY BUSINESS for SALE, in consequence of [illegible], J. Cohen, 98 Foveaux-street. First-class business, established 25 years. Well stocked, £150.

HAIRDRESSING SALOON and TOBACCONIST'S, all fitted, to let, exceptional chance good man. T. C. Hawkins, Royal Exchange Hotel, Temora.

GROCERY in rapidly growing suburb, North Sydney, doing cash trade. Low rent. Fittings and stock at valuation, about £55, no agents. E.T., P.O., N. Syd.

SHIRT FACTORY, goodwill, 4 large warehouses, with 18 girls, good profits, any reasonable offer taken. ROSE, Post-office, Alexandria.

FOR SALE, Cafe, central position, one of the main streets, city. A perfect gift. No agents. Apply R., Herald Office.

TO Showmen. Novelty in Australia for Sale, very cheap. Bicycle Merry-go-Round, at Coogee. Owner retiring. Apply [illegible] Riley-street.

GROCERY and MIXED, well stocked, doing a good trade, good living for family, rent 22s 6d, 5 rooms. Fullest part. 157 Castlereagh-street, city.

FOR SALE, good Residential Chambers, full house, gd. rets., nice home. 58 Willoughby-st, Milson's Pt.

WELL-FURN. 7rm. clean House, suit pte. home or resid., 27s 6d, city, £100. Prompt, Herald, King-st.

HAIRDRESSING, TOB., saloon £7, shop £12, good res., elec. light, £170. Chance, Haymarket P.O.

FOR Sale, Fish and Chips Business, 5 rms., tram stop at door. Apply 118 Weston-rd, Rozelle.

MIXED BUSINESS for SALE, reasonable price. [illegible] Johnston-st, Annandale.

GROCERY and MIXED, good living, gd. dwell., tak. over £25 wk. A.L.C., Crown-st P.O.

DRAPERY Business for Sale, small, with furniture, fitting, cost, best suburb. 88, Herald.

DYEING and Cleaning Business for Sale, in high-class marine suburb. Apply C.M., Herald.

MIXED STORE for Sale, including Stock and Furn. 69 Wellington-st, Waterloo. Cheap, no agents.

MORTDALE.—Wood and Coal Business for Sale, gd. reasons for selling. Oxford-st, Mortdale.

CONFEC. BUS., for £45, clears 50s weekly. Burlie, [illegible] Pitt-st.

FIRST-CLASS Confec. Bus. for Sale, with sub-newsagency, gd. profits. Mrs. Webb, opp. Arncliffe Stn.

TEA BUSINESS, estab. 12 yrs., storehse., stables, connection. Distributing, P.O., Newtown.

CAFE for Sale, heart of city, rent free, good turnover. J. P., P.O., Woollahra.

DRAPERY Business for Sale, small stock, fittings, furniture cost, best suburb. 151, Herald.

BARGAIN. Boarding-house, 5 perm. boarders, going concern, £100, Park-rd, Pad. G., Paddington P.O.

MIXED Business for Sale, Fruit, Confec., Groceries, Sum. Dks., large shop, dwell. 30 Glenmore-rd, Pad.

A LODGING HOUSE, 6 rooms and kit., no agents, reasonable price. 101 Crown-st, near William-st.

HAIRDRESSING and Tobacconist, main st., 5 rmd. dwell., rent 30s, bargain, £65. 276 Cleveland-st.

FOR Sale, Boarding-house, new cottage, moderate rt. Owner retiring. No. 1 Oak-st, Ashfield.

BUSINESSES FOR SALE OR WANTED

CONFECTIONERY.
Shop, 4 rooms, smart appearance, busy main street, nicely fitted, clean, good stock, profits £4 wk., £75, a sacrifice.
S. GORMLEY and CO., 82A Pitt-street.

CONFECTIONERY.
High-class Business, city, A1 lease, electric light, throughout, takings £20 week, profits £5, price £350.
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GROCERY.
Shop, 6 rooms, takings £30 week, cash trade in best district, will sell plant, goodwill, etc, £35; stock at cost, about £120; altogether.
We have a score of others. Call.
S. GORMLEY and CO., 82A Pitt-street.

HAM, BEEF,
Shop, 5 rooms, 3 yrs.' lease, profits average £2 10s all year round, has cleared as much as £7 10s in one week. Vendor is ill; will sell £80. A snap.
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HAIRDRESSER, TOBACCONIST.
Best stand in city, 3 years' lease, takings over £40 week, big profits, books kept, trial given. This is a unique opportunity for a man who is not a tradesman. Price, £550. TERMS.
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RESIDENTIAL, CITY.
9 large rooms, accommodates 18 men only, always full, all permanent, very clean, clears £4 10s week. Only £135.
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WE WILL FINANCE THESE BUSINESSES.
CONFECTIONERY, best position Western Suburb, opp. picture show, guarantee £5 wkly. clear profit. Price £190. Will finance buyer with £100 cash.
BUTCHERY, cutting 4 to 5 bodies, 40 sheep, 20 sundries, all cash trade, no outside delivery, fine plant. Price, £225. Accept terms.
RESIDENTIAL CHAMBERS, 8 well-furnished rooms, including piano, full permanents, accept £125, terms £50 cash, balance easy terms.
RESIDENTIAL CHAMBERS, 10 large rooms, suites every rom, rent £1 12s 6d, clears £4 7s 6d over rent. Price, £170. Half cash. Balance easy.
DUDLEY HENRY and CO., 156 King-street.

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RESIDENTIAL CH., 8 rooms, 1d sec., low rent, well furnished and clean, SNAP .... £90.
RESIDENTIAL CH., 6 rooms, rent £1 wk., splendidly furnished and clean, BARGAIN .... £85.
GROCERY and MIXED, D.F. shop, 6 rms., rent 25s wk., trade £24 wk., well stocked and fitted, £75.
GROCERY and MIXED, cor. shop, 4 rms., rent 15s w., trade £20 wk., good clean stock, about ..... £140.
FRUIT and GREENGROCERY, 5 rms., splendid shop, rent 24s wk., trade £40 up, good young horse, cart, and harness. A BARGAIN .... £100.
MELROSE and CO., 185 Castlereagh-st, nr. Park-st.

ALEXANDER AND NELSON,
SAVINGS BANK-CHAMBERS, 11 MOORE-STREET.
HOTEL, sub-lease, 11 yrs., draws 10 x 36 wk., £3000.
HOTEL, sub-lease 7 yrs., takes £45 wk., £1100.
HOTEL, city, lease 8 yrs., takes £60 wk., cash £1500.
HOTEL, sub-lease, 10 years, takes £80 wk., Cash £1650.
HOTEL, city, 12 yrs.' l., takes ov. £100 week, £2500.
HOTEL, city, 10 yrs. lease, takes £110 w. av., £2800.
COUNTRY HOTEL, 8 yrs., at £5 week, free, £1500.
COUNTRY HOTEL, 5½ yrs., takes £50 wk., free, £1100.

NEVILLE AND COY.,
283 Military-rd (cor. Lang-street), Mosman,
offer following SELECTED BUSINESSES:—
Drapery, Children's, Outfitting, etc., Mosman, val'n.
Drapery, Haberdashery, etc., Chatswood .... £225.
Fruit, Greengrocery, etc., Mosman .... £110.
Grocery and Provision, Mosman, valuation .... £125.
Mixed Confectionery, Tobacco, etc., N. Sydney £80.
City Office, 23 Post Office-chambers, 114A Pitt-street.

RESIDENTIAL CHAMBERS,
DARLINGHURST.
11 RMS., HANDSOMELY FUR., SPLENDID POSITION, PROF. £3 wk. Rt. 50s. £325. PERCIVAL, 114A Pitt-st.

GROCERY BUSINESS, DARLINGHURST, SHOP and 5 RMS., TAKINGS £30 weekly, rent 30s, LEASE. PRICE £65. PERCIVAL, 114A Pitt-st.

BOARDING HOUSE, DARLINGHURST, 13 ROOMS, EXCELLENTLY FURN., HIGH TARIFF, HANDSOME PROF., NEVER A VACANCY, rent 32s 6d, LEASE. £280. PERCIVAL and CO., 46-47 P.O. chas.

DINING Rooms, Confectionery, Drinks, large resid., good furn. throughout, western suburbs, taking £17, everything as it stands, £130.
RESIDENTIAL CHAMBERS, splendid position, lovely furniture, reasons for selling, £200.
HAM and BEEF, eastern suburb, good welling, good furniture, cheap rent, just as it stands, £185.
GROCERY and MIXED, £55; Hairdressing and Tobacconist, £55; Confectionery, £46.
MILK RUN, 21 gallons daily, 2 horses, cart, and harness. This is a bargain, £60.
H. J. PALMER, 96 Goulburn-street, near Elizabeth-street, 4 doors from Crown Hotel.

HIGH-CLASS CITY STATIONERY, FANCY GOODS, LIBRARY, BOOKS, etc. Handsomely fitted shop. Stock about £450. Trade over £40 weekly. Same hands 5 years. Long lease. Buyers in search of genuine place should not lose present chance for £850.
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FISH and CONFECTIONERY, railway suburb, horse, sulky included, good fish run, low rent, clears £3 weekly, selling through illness. Only £50. Bargain.
KONIG, 82 King-street.

COMPACT Mixed Bus., subn., dwell., trade £18, nicely stocked, £130. Konig, 82 King-st.

PICTURE SHOW, WHOLLY COVERED.
Leading Position, Best Suburb.
Lease 6 years. Rent £6. Seating 1700.
Owing to Vendor's early departure from the State he is compelled to sacrifice same for £650. Fullest investigation courted. Particulars.
'Phone, City 2179. HAERTEL, 108 Pitt-street.

RESIDENTIAL, city, 12 rms., rent £3, lease, clean, £5 wk. over rent, £275. Haertel, 108 Pitt-st.

RES. Milson's Pt., 8 rms., offices, rent 30s, cott. res., sleeping-out accom., lg. grounds, harb. view, bath, gas, owner leav. State. £165. Haertel.

HAM and Beef, best pos., turnover £30, rent 35s, lease 3 yrs., gd. dwell., £280. Haertel, 108 Pitt-st.

FISH and Chips, D.F. shop, 4 rs., busy part, rent 30s, well fitted, shop prof. £4. Haertel, 108 Pitt-st.

FRUIT, Soft Drinks, etc., shop, 5 rms., rent 25s, trade £20, inc. horse and cart, £75. Haertel.

RES., Phillip-st, all furn., in oak, first to inspect will buy, £[illegible]. Haertel, 108 Pitt-st.

REFRESHMENT and DINING ROOMS, right opposite surf-bathing sheds, large dining rm. seats 50 people, good connection, owner must sell, everything new and good, splendid chance for energetic couple, good shop trade. Apply
OCEAN VIEW DINING ROOMS, CRONULLA.

RESIDENTIAL CHAMBERS—MANLY. 2 min. surf, Well furnished HOUSE, con. 4 dbl. and 2 single bedrooms and all offices, lease. A barg. Pr. £180.
NORTH SYDNEY, 2 min. from Ferry, house, contg. 9 rooms and all offices, well furnished. Price £200.
HARRISON, TREACY, and CO.,
14 Castlereagh street (nr. Moore-st).

HOTEL, Select Railway Suburb, a good home, with every convenience, lse. 4, rent £3 5s, trade 10 x 18's, within 10½ miles city. Cash £1000. A quick sale wanted. Sole Agents, EDWIN WOODBURY, Rofe-chbrs.

HOTEL, MONEY-MAKING Suburb, lse. 4, rent £4, trade £70, £1400. EDWIN WOODBURY, 60 Castlereagh-street. CITY 4200.

MERCERY, Haberdashery, Hosiery, Dressmaking, etc., suit 2 Ladies, only £50. A BARGAIN.
MIXED BUSINESS and Book Exchange, only £60.
FRUIT, ETC., well stocked, HORSE, CART, £55.
BIRCH and CO., 6 Glebe-road. 'Phone, 813 GLEBE.

GROCERY, Haberdashery, Confec., Fruit, Drinks, gd. dwelling, 12s, £95, well stocked; no agents.
Mrs. McINTOSH,
Elizabeth-street, Zetland.

FOR SALE, Swimming Baths, Boat-letting, and Boat-Building Yard. Prosperous and improving business. Apply
CHURCH and CRAWFORD,
Abbotsford.

CONFECTIONERY, Summer Drinks, Ice Cream, and Mixed, busy sub., taking £12, profits £2 10s over rent. Double front shop and 6 rms. Rent 15s. Price £65. C. M. Y., Rozelle Post-office.

FOR SALE.—Boot Repairing, ill-health, will sacrifice full set Lasts and Machine, £10, shop and dwelling, 15s weekly. 784 Parramatta-road, Lewisham, next hotel.

CARRYING BUSINESS, same hands 15 years, takings £70 month, big scope extension, 3 complete turnouts, large dwelling, £1 wk., stabling, etc., £250. NEVILLE, 21 Post Office-chambers, 114A Pitt-street.

GENERAL STORE, grocery, crockery, haberdashery, etc., subn., 14 yrs. same hands, £200, gen. bus., compelled sell, ordered hospital. 96 Mort-st, Balmain.

BOARDING HOUSE, close to Dock and Ferry, 7 Boarders, easy worked place, large yard, furniture and all complete, cheap. 112 Short-st, Balmain.

FOR SALE, old-estab. laundry, gd. pos., 1st-class trade, price £60. Lofts, 15 Glenmore-rd, Padd.

NEWSAGENT'S BUSINESS for Sale. Apply O. McCarthy, 431 Cleveland-st, Redfern.

LAUNDRY RUN for Sale, also Hand Shirt and Collar Machine and Mangle. 94 N. Cant. rd, Pshm.

FISH CHIPS, good trade, good stand, no opp. Early reply, rea. offer. 98 George-st, Camperdown.

SMALL Residential, clean, well furnished, comf., piano, etc. M. F., Redfern P.O.

MIXED Business, good living, for Sale, dwelling, good with, w'out furn. 584 P'matta-rd, P'sham.

RESIDENTIAL Chmbs., 6 rms., all well furn., rent [illegible], £125. 4 Pelican-st, off Oxfd.-st.

HAM, BEEF, spld. stand, est. [illegible], takings £25, no agents, £150. H.E.W., c/o Haymarket P.O.

NEW and sec. hand Furn. Business, 6 years, connection, etc. at val. 136 Regent-st, Redfern.

REFRESHMENT Rooms, Railway, suit M.C. or two Lady Friends, a genuine investment. Price only £75. Long lease. Low rent.
J. SCARBOROUGH, Granville.

RESIDENTIAL CHAMBERS. A Widow Lady desires to PURCHASE for Cash, £250 to £350, good pos., and eligible concern. Particulars to Mrs. M. WILSON, Herald Office. Principals only.

ADVERTISER, Melbourne man, wishes buy live business to £500, showing good living. Kooyong, Herald.

MIXED Business with dwelling, for Sale. Very cheap. 11 City-rd, Darlington.

ROSEVILLE-CHATSWOOD.—Peckham Rye Est., splen. Villa and Residence Sites, Next Sat. R. and W., Ltd.

WANTED to PURCHASE, a
FIRST-CLASS SYDNEY BOARDING HOUSE,
£1400 to £2000. Particulars, in confidence, before December 10 to Mrs. L.M.W., Post-office, Adelaide, S.A. No agents.

WANTED to Purchase, Typewriting, Copying Office, or no objection to Partner. Apply [illegible], Herald Office.

WANTED, Lady requires small Confectionery or Mixed Bus. No agents. Particulars, 441, Herald.

WANTED to Buy, Resid. Chambers, D'hurst preferred, to £150. J.S., 34 Gierstein-st, Waverley.

WANTED, Residential, 7 rooms or more, pay fair value, no fancy price. Honesty, Herald Branch.

WANTED, Grocery, Mixed, or Confec., showing living. Mrs. Edwards, 19 Hampden-st, N.S.

WANTED, gen. Mixed Bus., Confec., Fruit, Grocery, no snaps, live trade. 107 Rutherford-st, Wav.

WANTED, today, House, bet. Liverpool and Devonshire sts, S. Hills. Stokes, [illegible] Elizabeth-st.

WANTED, Resid. Chambers, not less than 10 rms., [illegible]. Lachlan, William-st P.O.

WANTED, sound Business, any description, with dwelling, £75 to £150. Minna, Herald, King-st.

WANTED, FRUIT or MIXED BUS., about £30. Genuine, Herald office.

WANTED, NEWSAGENCY, cash buyer waiting for good sound concern. Symonds, 11 Moore-st.

WANTED, HAM and BEEF BUSINESS, must be genuine, client Waiting. Symonds, 11 Moore-st.

WANTED, SYMONDS and CO. have Cash Buyers for sound Businesses. 11 Moore-st.

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MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

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ELECTION OF ALDERMEN FOR THE CITY OF SYDNEY.
NOTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of the provisions of the Sydney Corporation Act, 1902, the several persons hereunder mentioned have been duly ELECTED to the Office of ALDERMEN for the period ending NOVEMBER 30, 1915, for the Ward opposite their respective names:
BELMORE WARD—
JOHN ENGLISH.
GEORGE THOMAS CLARKE.
BLIGH WARD—
WILLIAM PERCY McELHONE.
WILLIAM JAMES COX.
BOURKE WARD—
JAMES MONTAGUE SANDY.
THOMAS HERBERT KELLY.
CAMPERDOWN WARD—
CHARLES SUSTAINS MALLETT.
DAVID GILPIN.
COOK WARD—
RICHARD WATKINS RICHARDS.
JOHN GEORGE GRIFFIN.
DENISON WARD—
REGINALD WILLIAM SYDNEY [illegible].
JOHN FITZGERALD.
FITZROY WARD—
EDWARD MILNER STEPHEN.
ARTHUR McELHONE.
FLINDERS WARD—
WILLIAM JOHN WALKER.
JAMES HENRY LAWRENCE.
GIPPS WARD—
WILLIAM PATRICK O'CONNOR.
WILLIAM PATRICK FITZGERALD.
LANG WARD—
ARTHUR ALFRED CLEMENT COCKS, M.L.A.
EVAN JONES.
MACQUARIE WARD—
ERNEST LINDSAY THOMPSON.
RICHARD CHARLES HAGON.
PHILLIP WARD—
RICHARD DENIS MEAGHER, M.L.A.
THOMAS HUGHES BARLOW.
PYRMONT WARD—
ANDREW JOSEPH KELLY, M.L.A.
JOHN McGREE.
THOMAS H. NESBITT,
Town Clerk, Returning Officer.
GEO. T. CLARKE, Lord Mayor.
Town Hall, Sydney,
3rd December, 1912.

TO THE ELECTORS OF COOK WARD.
Ladies and Gentlemen,
I have to tender you my best THANKS for the honour you have conferred by electing me as one of your Representatives in the Sydney Municipal Council during the Three Years next ensuing, 1913-14-15. To the loyal workers who have been indefatigable in their efforts during the campaign, to the chairman, the hon. secretaries, and the executive committee my special THANKS and cordial appreciation are due. I shall, as in the past, do my best to merit the confidence you have reposed in me.
Yours faithfully,
R. W. RICHARDS.
Equitable-buildings,
George-street, Sydney,
December 3, 1912.

ELECTORS OF FLINDERS.
I desire to tender you my sincere THANKS for your renewed confidence shown by electing me on Monday last by such a substantial majority; as also to Mr. W. HANNAFORD, Hon. Sec., and the Members of my Committee, who ungrudgingly and voluntarily rendered me unstinted and loyal service throughout the campaign.
WILLIAM J. WALKER,
Incorporated Accountant,
110 Bathurst-street.

CITY MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.
In returning my sincere THANKS to the ELECTORS of BELMORE WARD for again Electing me as one of their Representatives, I take this opportunity of also thanking my Working Committee for their [illegible] Services, also many citizens for their sympathetic support.
GEORGE T. CLARKE,
Lord Mayor.

FLINDERS WARD. All Accounts against WILLIAM J. WALKER'S COMMITTEE should be rendered to W. HANNAFORD, Hon. Sec., 306 Crown-street, by NOON on FRIDAY, 6th inst.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

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HAIR SPECIALIST.—BERNARD KAY for the successful treatment of Scalp, Dandruff, Falling Hair, and all Hair and Scalp Troubles. 31 Bent-st, Sydney, opp. Govt. Print. Office, near Bot. Gardens.

ROSEVILLE-CHATSWOOD.—Peckham Rye Est., splen. Villa and Residence Sites, Next Sat. R. and W., Ltd.

AUCTION SALES.

WOOL SALES will be held TO-DAY, at the Sydney Wool Exchange, at 3 p.m., as under:—
New Zealand Loan and Mercantile Agency Co., Ltd., 4799 bales.
Winchcombe, Carson, Ltd., [illegible] bales.

PRODUCE SALES will be held TO-DAY as under:—
FURRED SKINS, at 9.30 a.m. and 2 p.m.
RABBITSKINS, at 9.30 a.m.
LEATHER, at the stores of Harrison, Jones, and Devlin, Ltd., Winchcombe, Carson, Ltd., and Pitt, Son, and Badgery, Ltd., at 11.45 a.m.

CITY.
TO-MORROW, THURSDAY, 5th, 11 o'cl.
361 PITT-STREET, SALEROOMS, 361,
Between Bathurst and Liverpool streets.
250 LOTS EASTERN EMBROIDERED GOODS, embracing all the ARTISTIC WORK, in shades and design, on Satin grounds, worked with SILK.
BEDSPREADS, CUSHION and TABLE COVERS, Table CENTRES, SCREENS, all duty paid, invoiced £168, WITHOUT THE SLIGHTEST RESERVE.
HABERDASHERY and LACE STOCK, 150 Lots trade parcels, invoiced £105.
BRAIDS, GUIPURE and COTTON LACES, HATPINS, VELVET BINDINGS, FANCY DRESS BRAIDS, ASS. BELTS, PINS, and SUNDRIES, 10 Dozen Wide End TIES.
Also,
Quantity MEN'S FRENCH FELT HATS, TWEED SUIT LENGTHS.
ABSOLUTELY WITHOUT RESERVE.
RADFORD AND CO., AUCTIONEERS,
WILL SELL.
'Phone, City 1460.

TO MASTER BUILDERS,
AND THE TRADE GENERALLY.
IMPORTANT AUCTION SALE.
THIS DAY, DEC. 4, AT 2.30 P.M.
AT MESSRS. BALDWIN BROS.' WORKS,
ADJOINING THE MEDICAL SCHOOL.
JAMES COWAN
has received instructions from Messrs. Baldwin Bros. to sell,
2 High-class STONE DRESSING MACHINES, with all appurtenances complete, ANDERSON MAKER.
*** These Machines are equal to new.
Also,
LARGE QUANTITY OF OREGON TIMBERS, all dimensions, GALV. IRON, all Lengths.
TERMS CASH.

ENMORE.
UNRESERVED SALE, BY AUCTION,
OF CLEAN MODERN FURNISHINGS,
On the PREMISES, 37 SIMMONS-STREET,
TO-MORROW, THURSDAY,
AT 11 O'CLOCK,
THE FURNISHINGS OF 6-ROOMED HOUSE.
D. AND W. BAINES, AUCTIONEERS,
Under Instructions from Mrs. GASKILL,
WILL SELL. NO RESERVE.

FULL PARTICULARS TO-MORROW'S "HERALD."
EXTRAORDINARY PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT.
GOVERNMENT HAVING RESUMED PROPERTY FOR RAILWAY PURPOSES,
MESSRS. COOPER BROS., LIVERPOOL-ROAD, ENFIELD,
have instructed the undersigned to sell on WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 18, without reserve, the whole of their extensive Stock and Plant, comprising thousands of choicest Table and Breeding Hens and Ducks; hundreds of Pigs and Suckers; several valuable Horses, Vans, Coppers, etc., etc., etc.
Full particulars of this gigantic sale will be advertised in future issues of this paper. Catalogues at sale. Premier Co-operative Poultry and Produce Co., Ltd.,
THOS. REID, Auctioneer. Tel., City 1134.

THIS DAY.
JOHN P. LISTER will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 292 Pitt-street,
The Unredeemed Pledges pawned with Mr. Thomas Sutton, of the Great Western Mont de Piete, George-street West.
At 11 o'clock. Clothing, Boots, Blankets, etc.
At 2 o'clock. Sundries of every description.
At 2.15 o'clock. 2 GENT.'S BICYCLES, equal to new.
At 3.30 o'clock. Gold and Silver Jewellery.

IN THE SMALL DEBTS COURT, NEWTOWN PETTY SESSION DISTRICT. In the Matter of E. A. GUILLE v. ALICE COOK, Writ [illegible] of 1912, Plaint 922 of 1912, unless sooner satisfied,
THIS DAY, AT 2 O'CLOCK,
on the Premises of the Defendant,
115 ALBERT-STREET, PETERSHAM,
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS.
NATHAN SARGANT,
Auctioneer.

IN THE SMALL DEBTS COURT, CENTRAL POLICE OFFICE, PETTY SESSIONS DISTRICT. In the Matter CITY FINANCE CO., Ltd., trading as Bachelor and Co. v. STANLEY THRUM. Writ 1762 of 1912.
Unless sooner satisfied, THIS DAY, at 2.30, on the premises of the defendant, [illegible] BOULEVARD, PETERSHAM, Household Furniture and Effects.
NATHAN SARGANT, Auctioneer.

AUBURN. HILL ESTATE.
5 Good Building Lots, [illegible] for Sale on the ground, NEXT SATURDAY, [illegible] p.m. Must sell. [illegible]
H. PRITCHARD, AUCTIONEER, AUBURN.

ROSEVILLE-CHATSWOOD. Peckham Rye Est., splen. Villa and Residence Sites, Next Sat. R. and W., Ltd.

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HORSES. HORSES. HORSES.

CAMPERDOWN YARDS,
SYDNEY.
THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY,
AT 3 P.M.

100 HEAD, 100 HEAD,
including
40 COLTS AND FILLIES,
DIRECT FROM THE DARLING DOWNS,
QUEENSLAND.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions to sell by auction, as above,
On account Mrs. BARTLETT.
2 Useful Harness Horses. Full particulars at sale.

On account OWNER.
Grey Active Draught Gelding, thoroughly broken.

On account Mr. JOS. WILSON.
Bay Heavy Draught Gelding, 6 yrs., straight out of work.

On account Messrs. L. S. DRUMMOND and CO., from Liverpool.
Brown Gelding, broken to harness.

On account Mr. J. MURPHY, Bexley.
1 Outstanding Bay Van Mare, 4 years old, and 2 Saddle and Harness Horses, all broken in.

On account Messrs. E. TUMETH and G. CHRISTEY, Orange.
20 GOOD USEFUL CLASS HORSES, comprising HEAVY AND ACTIVE DRAUGHTS, STRONG VAN and BUTCHERS' CART SORTS; also GOOD QUALITY LIGHT HORSES, 4 to 6 years old, broken and unbroken.
INCLUDED AMONG THE NUMBER ARE A PAIR OF CHESTNUT BUGGY GELDINGS, 15.2, a SUPERIOR BAY BUGGY MARE, 15.2, 6 years, BY SOUTHERN KING, DAM BY PERFECTION, reliable in Saddle or Harness, HIGHLY RECOMMENDED; a PAIR OF BROWN COLTS, 4 years old, unbroken, suitable for BAKERS or LIGHT WAGGON; GREY GELDING, 15.2, 4 years, by CHIEFTAIN, JUN., thoroughly quiet in saddle or harness.

On account Mr. F. STEWART, DARLING DOWNS, QUEENSLAND.
40 EXTRA GOOD COLTS AND FILLIES, 3 to 5 years old, all the ONE BRAND, consisting principally of MEDIUM DRAUGHTS and STRONG ACTIVE HORSES, suitable LIGHT LORRIES, MERCHANTS' VANS, and ALL CLASSES OF CITY WORK.

INGLIS'S BAZAAR, THIS DAY.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON will sell by auction, in their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 10.30 sharp,
Vans, Springcarts, Horses, and Harness; Draught Horses, Tipcarts, Horses, and Harness; and at 11 a.m., Horses and Vehicles of every description, specially advertised. Tel., 1331.

TIPCART TURNOUT.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. JOSIAH J. BARRETT to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 11.30 a.m.,
Bay Gelding, 6 yrs., stanch worker, Tipdray, and Harness.

BAY GELDING, 5 YEARS, 1 VAN, AND SET OF S.-MTD. HARNESS, ALSO BLACK GELDING, BROKEN TO SADDLE AND HARNESS.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from the owner to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above.

VILLAGE CART TURNOUT.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from the owner to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 11.30 a.m.,
Dapple Grey Pony Gelding, stanch, Village Cart, and Harness. A good lot.

5 SUPERIOR SULKIES, IN GOOD ORDER.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. E. SPEARMAN to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 11.30 a.m., the above.

2 D.S. BUGGY AND SULKY TURNOUTS.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from the owner to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 11.30 A.M.,
Brown Mare, Light D.S. Buggy, and Harness; also Bay Pony Gelding, 14 hands, very fine mover, Sulky, and Har., a first-class lot.

PAIR TAFFY PONY MARES, 12.2 HIGH, THOROUGHLY BROKEN TO S. AND D. HAR., SINGLE SEATED BUGGY, AND HARNESS.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. FRANK HULBERT to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 11.30 a.m.,
The Above First-class Turnout.

HIGH-CLASS PONY SULKY TURNOUT.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. H. WALKER to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, at 12 o'clock,
Piebald Pony Gelding, beautifully marked, 14 hands, broken to saddle and harness, very quiet, Superior Sulky (by Angus), and set of Harness, in splendid order.

UPSTANDING VAN HORSE.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. G. Boland, to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
Reliable Harness Horse, 16 hands, used to van, can pull ton.

QUIET SADDLE AND HARNESS HORSE.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. S. Challenner to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
Chestnut Gelding, 5 years, thoroughly quiet in saddle and harness.

CAB MARE.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. Mathew Mahon to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
Bay Cab Mare, rising 6 years, broken to harness, quiet.

GREY ACTIVE DRAUGHT GELDING.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. A. BROWN to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
Grey Active Draught Gelding, stanch puller.

TO DAIRYMEN AND OTHERS.

CLEARANCE SALE
of
THE EXCELSIOR DAIRY, on the premises, Picton-street, off King-street, Mascot (late North Botany),
THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, DEC. 4,
AT 2.30 P.M.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. JOHN PILE to sell by auction, as above,
- 15 GOOD COWS, in full milk, all fat; also 1 Jersey Bull.
- 2 Reliable Harness Horses.
- 1 Milkcart, Cans, and Measures, and Set of Harness.
- 1 Light Dogcart and Harness.
- 1 Large Van, in splendid condition; Sundries, etc.

Also MILK RUN, 53 gallons per day.

THE ABOVE IS AN OLD-ESTABLISHED DAIRY, AND IS BEING PARTED WITH SOLELY ON ACCOUNT OF THE OWNER'S INTENDED DEPARTURE FOR EUROPE.

QUAY-STREET.

TO-MORROW, THURSDAY, AT 11 A.M.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON will hold their Regular Weekly Sale of Milch Cows, as above.
The order of Sale will be as follows, viz.:—
McINTOSH BROS., D. BUFFIER, A. ANSCHAU.
60 FIRST-CLASS MILCH COWS, in full milk, from the best dairies in the South and Hunter districts.

TO CAB PROPRIETORS AND LIVERY STABLE KEEPERS, SPECULATORS, and OTHERS.

CLEARANCE SALE,
on the Premises, 414 Bourke-street, Surry Hills,
TO-MORROW (THURSDAY) AFTERNOON,
AT 2.30 O'CLOCK.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. E. BRESSINGTON, to sell by auction, as above,
- 12 Upstanding Harness Horses, all thoroughly broken, reliable workers.
- 10 HIGH-CLASS RUBBER-TYRED BROUGHAM CABS, all licensed.
- 12 Sets First-class Harness.
- 1 Superior S.S. Buggy, rubber tyres.
- 1 Long-shaft Breaking-in Sulky.
- 1 Set Rubber and Gold Harness, Sundry Harness, Rugs, etc.

THE ABOVE IS A FIRST-CLASS PLANT, AND BEING PARTED WITH SOLELY ON ACCOUNT OF EXPIRY OF LEASE.

SUMMER HILL,
AT
NO. 90 SMITH-STREET.
ATTRACTIVE AND UNRESERVED AUCTION SALE,
under instructions from
The Executor in the Estate of the Late
MADAME KATE BOYD.
TO-MORROW, THURSDAY, AT 11 A.M.

WALNUT PIANOFORTE, by M. W. Stein, Berlin.
5ft SIDEBOARD, DINING TABLE, DINING SUITE of 8 pieces, Unique OVERMANTEL in leather work frame, LARGE ICE CHEST, CARD TABLE, CHINA, GLASS WARE, and SILVERPLATE, AXMINSTER and BRUSSELS CARPETS, LINOLEUMS, MOZAMBIQUE RUGS.

COLLECTION OF VALUABLE JAPANESE CURIOS, SATSUMA WARE AND OLD CHINA.

MAGNIFICENT BRASS VASES, LAMPS, STORKS, etc.

During an extended sojourn in the East, the late MADAME BOYD was enabled to acquire many curios, etc., worthy of the attention of connoisseurs.

MAPLE BEDROOM SUITE of 3 pieces—WARDROBE, CHEST DRAWERS, WASHSTAND. Massive Brass Mounted BEDSTEAD and Bedding. Marcus Clark COUCH, SADDLEBAG COUCH, OCCASIONAL CHAIRS and TABLES, OIL PAINTINGS and PASTEL PAINTINGS, ORIENTAL CURTAINS, MARBLE CLOCKS, DROP-HEAD SEWING MACHINE.

ESCRITOIRE Writing Desk, Easy Chairs, SARATOGA and TRAVELLING TRUNKS.

KITCHEN DRESSER and TABLES, SAFE, Cooking UTENSILS and TINWARE, WRINGER, BARROW, STEPS.

INSPECTION 9.30 MORNING OF SALE.

STRONGMAN, BRUNTNELL, AND CO.,
Auctioneers and Agents for Vendor.
Offices, Burwood. Telephone, 200 B.

THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 4,
AT
THE ROYAL EXCHANGE ROOM,
BRIDGE-STREET,
AT 12 NOON.

On Account of Whom it may Concern.
THE WRECK OF THE S.S. FRIENDSHIP,
as she now lies, near the Southern Breakwater, Tweed River Entrance.

FRASER, UTHER, and CO., Ltd., have received instructions to sell by Auction the above.

AUCTION SALES.

THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY,
AT 11 A.M.,

On the Premises,
VINTNER'S STORES AND REPOSITORY,

PYRMONT BRIDGE-ROAD, CAMPERDOWN.

FOR POSITIVE UNRESERVED SALE.

WALNUT-FINISHED BEACONSFIELD BEDROOM SUITES, Combination and other Chests of Drawers, Toilet Tables and Glasses, Sewing Machines, Dining Tables, Austrian and American Chairs.
GENERAL HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.
TIN TRUNKS, SARATOGAS, WEARING APPAREL.

MODEL PLATEN PRINTING PRESS.
Quantity of Type, Printers' Sundries.

CENTRIFUGAL PUMP, COMPLETE.

JEWELLER'S LATHE, COLLAR IRONING MACHINE.
QUANTITY OF BOOKS, SUNDRIES.

BARNARD AND CO.
will sell by auction, as above,
POSITIVELY WITHOUT RESERVE.
Auc. Offices: Record chambers, 77 Castlereagh-street.

IN BANKRUPTCY ESTATE OF A. MOFFAT.

FRIDAY NEXT, AT 11 A.M. SHARP,
On the Premises,
WHISTLER-STREET, MANLY.

Plant and Stock-in-trade of a
COACHBUILDER and BLACKSMITH,
including
DRILLING MACHINE, BLACKSMITH'S UPSETTER.
Bar Iron, Nuts and Bolts, Horseshoes.
LORRY and VAN (partly finished).
Wheels, Axles, Felloes, Shafts, Spokes.
ANVILS, FORGES, BELLOWS.
Blacksmiths' Tools, Rubber-tyred Wheels.
Timber, Paints, Vyces, Benches.
COACHBUILDERS' MATERIAL.
SEWING MACHINE, IRON FIRE-PROOF SAFE.

MAGNIFICENT ENGLISH DOGCART.
Four Wheels, Rubber-tyred.

To be first offered as a going concern, failing a purchaser, to be sold in lots.

BARNARD and CO.,
instructed by WM. HARRINGTON PALMER, Esq., Official Assignee, will sell as above,
POSITIVELY WITHOUT RESERVE.
Auc. Office: Record chambers, 77 Castlereagh-street.

MONSTER SALE OF BUILDING MATERIALS.
TO-MORROW, THURSDAY, DEC. 5th, AT 11 A.M.
Kingsclere-road, Alexandria, tram to P.O.
Contents of 2 LARGE HOUSES AND BAKEHOUSE.
40,000 S. and M. BRICKS, tip-top lot.
3000ft 6 x 2 JOISTS to 20ft.
2000ft 5 x 2, 4 x 2 Oregon, 21ft, straight and clean.
2000ft 3 x 2 D. Oregon Battens.
3000ft Kauri FLOORING, 4 x 1, 6 x 1, equal to new.
10 PANEL DOORS, 6.8 x 2.8, special lot.
15 Box FRAMES and SASHES, centre bars, fit for cottage or mansion.
6 MANTELS and GRATES, a good sound lot.
TO BAKERS and PASTRYCOOKS.
2 splendid OVENS, nearly new, a chance to get a couple of good ovens.
250 Sheets IRON, 6 to 8 ft, tip-top.
And Host of Timber.

ALF. EDGAR
has received instructions from Mr. A. Couling to sell all this splendid lot, equal to new.
DON'T FORGET—TO-MORROW, THURSDAY.

MONSTER SALE OF BUILDING MATERIALS.
SATURDAY NEXT, DECEMBER 7th, at 2.30,
GERARD-STREET, ALEXANDRIA, tram to P.O.
30,000 S. Bricks, all spotted.
3000ft Joists, 6 x 2, long lengths.
2000ft Joists, 5 x 2, 4 x 2, straight and clean.
150 Sheets Iron, 6ft to 8ft, good.
2000 20 x 10 Bangor Slates, good lot.
3000ft 4 x 3 Battens, Oregon.
3000ft Flooring, H.W. and Kauri.
Skirting, Shelving, Brass Taps.
2000ft Lining and Partition Boards, good.
10 Panel Doors, Jambs, and Architraves, complete, 6.8 x 2.8.
7 Mantels and Grates, Baths, Tubs, Coppers.
15 Box Frames and Sashes, centre bars.
Gas and Water Piping, and Host Sundries.
This is a good clean lot.

ALF. EDGAR
has received instructions from Mr. A. WAINWRIGHT to sell every line, WITHOUT THE SLIGHTEST RESERVE. To Builders, the Trade, and Others: Attend this Sale. Auctioneer's Tel., 623 Randwick, etc.

GIGANTIC SALE OF BUILDING MATERIALS.

TUESDAY NEXT, DECEMBER 10, AT 11 A.M.

All the Contents of the Cardinal's Hall, 100ft, and Schoolrooms, 66ft by 150ft, at
St. Mary's Cathedral, College-street, Hyde Park.
50,000 Machine Bricks, first quality.
7 Steel Principals, 66ft span, cost £1000.
Picture Showmen should inspect these.
8000ft Palings, 8 x 3, to 40, Oregon.
5 Steel Girders, 12 x 6, 26ft.
15 Glass Sashes, fit for office or partitions.
12,000ft of Flooring, Kauri, equal to new.
3000ft 10 x 3, 8 x 3 Joists, to 25ft.
5000ft 6 x 2, 5 x 2 Joists, to 30ft.
3000ft 4 x 3 Joists, to 30ft.
Oregon Joists, to 26ft long.
3000ft H.W. Flooring.
4000ft Weatherboards.
3000ft 12 x 1½ Oregon Boards, to 2ft wide.
1000 Sheets Iron, 6 to 10 ft, equal to new.
40 Box Frames and Sashes, 2 light and centre bars.
10 Pairs of Doors, 9ft openings, 3-inch thick.
10 Roof Lead Lights.
This is a forest of Timber, Oregon and Hardwood, equal to new. Come along and inspect for yourselves.

ALF. EDGAR
has received instructions from Mr. J. PTOLEMY, Builder, to sell every line. ABSOLUTELY NO RESERVE.
To Country Buyers, Builders, Contractors, and Others: Come and Inspect before Sale.
Auctioneer's Tel., 623 Randwick.

FRIDAY NEXT.

AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK SHARP.

AT OUR SALEROOMS,
NO. 200 CASTLEREAGH-STREET,

FOUR DOORS SOUTH OF PARK-STREET.

TO CLOSE ACCOUNTS.

UNDER INSTRUCTIONS FROM THE CONSIGNORS.

147 HIGH-CLASS OVERMANTELS.

in the finest woods, perfect finish, and a large assortment of the LATEST DESIGNS of the BEST ENGLISH MANUFACTURE,
Comprising,
WALNUT, BROWN AND FUMED OAK, MAHOGANY, ROSEWOOD, WHITE ENAMEL, ETC.
SAMPLES WILL BE ON VIEW IN OUR SALEROOMS ON WEDNESDAY NEXT.

The particular attention of THE TRADE, PRIVATE BUYERS, and others is called to this IMPORTANT SALE. THE OVERMANTELS are of exceptionally fine MANUFACTURE and DESIGN, and our instructions are to sell every lot TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER. To close CONSIGNMENT ACCOUNTS.

Also,
On account of a PRIVATE VENDOR,
A Large Collection of
OIL PAINTINGS, WATERCOLOURS, ENGRAVINGS, etc., and a quantity of
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS.

And a quantity of
MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS, PIANOFORTE, ETC.,
including,
Pianola, Organettes, and Tunes, Polyphones and Tunes, Amorettes and Tunes, Mignon Organs,
400 ASSORTED SIZES POLYPHONE TUNES,
Violas, Concertinas, Gramophones, etc.
PIANOFORTE by PALING and COMPANY.

WITHOUT ANY RESERVE.

DEAN AND COMPANY,
SUCCESSORS TO
S. H. HARRIS AND COMPANY.

BONDI.

AT ROCKLEY, IMPERIAL-AVENUE,
BONDI (leave tram at corner of Imperial-avenue and Bondi road).

TO-MORROW, THURSDAY,
DECEMBER 5, 1912, AT 11 A.M. SHARP.

To Ladies and Gentlemen Furnishing in good taste, Brokers, and others, the up-to-date Furnishings of a large 12-roomed Residence, comprising
Handsome Walnut and Rosewood OVERMANTELS, choice designs.
EXTENSION DINING TABLES and COVERS; TWO LARGE SIDEBOARDS.
Beautiful DINING-ROOM SUITE, Bookcase, Pictures, Hallstand, CHOICE CARPETS and LINOS, Bric-a-Brac, Austrian, Cane, and Rattan Chairs, Lounges.
Also Furnishings of 8 Large Bedrooms.
Several First-class BEDROOM SUITES, in Walnut and Pine.
Handsome Brass-mounted BEDSTEADS and Bedding.
COMBINATION BED-COUCH, BOX OTTOMANS, MARBLE-TOP WASHSTANDS.
WARDROBES, COMBINATIONS, DUCHESSE TOILETS and WARE.
SINGER SEWING MACHINE (drophead), ICE CHEST, 2 PATENT MANGLES, GLASS-ENCLOSED DRESSER, Kitchen and Laundry Requisites.
Also,
RUBBER-TYRED SULKY, with silver mountings, built by Lloyd.
ENGLISH CARRYALL, with hood, etc., etc., etc.

MITCHELL AND CRANSTON,
AUCTIONEERS,
have been favoured with instructions to sell, Absolutely Without Reserve.

EVERY LINE MUST BE SOLD.

On View TO-DAY, 11 to 5.
For further particulars see To-morrow's Herald.
Auctioneers' Office: 116 Abercrombie-street, city.
Tel., 146 Redfern.

ASHFIELD.

UNRESERVED AUCTION SALE,
on
FRIDAY NEXT, DEC. 6, AT 11 A.M.,
at the residence,
COREEN, NIXON-AVENUE, ASHFIELD.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS,
as contained in

HALL, DINING, AND DRAWING ROOMS,

SEVERAL BEDROOMS, KITCHEN, Etc.

FULL PARTICULARS in Later Advertisements.

LAWSON BROTHERS, LIMITED,
(HARRY LAWSON, AUCTIONEER),
32-34 WILLIAM-STREET. Tel., Wm. at 620.

ROSEVILLE-CHATWOOD.—Peckham Rye Est., splen. Villa and Residence Sites, Next Sat. R. and W., Ltd.

AUCTION SALES.

OIL PAINTINGS,
ENGLISH, CONTINENTAL, AND AUSTRALIAN SCENERY,
by
MR. W. C. PIGUENIT.

EXHIBITION AND AUCTION SALE,
IN THE UPSTAIR GALLERY SALEROOM
of
JAMES R. LAWSON AND LITTLE,
128 and 130 PITT-STREET, NEAR KING-STREET,
THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY,
4th DECEMBER, AT 11 O'CLOCK,
A SUPERB COLLECTION
of
ABOUT 20 CHOICE WORKS,
by
MR. W. C. PIGUENIT,
INCLUDING
SEVERAL LARGE GALLERY PICTURES,
also
MEDIUM-SIZED WORKS FOR THE HOME.

NOTE.—Mr. Piguenit is represented in all the Public Galleries of the Commonwealth, also the principal Private Collections, and has exhibited at THE PARIS SALON, ALLIED ARTISTS' ASSOCIATION, LONDON, AND KINDRED INSTITUTIONS.

ON VIEW THIS DAY, PRIOR TO SALE.

CATALOGUES ON APPLICATION.

JAMES R. LAWSON AND LITTLE,
FINE ART AUCTIONEERS,
128 and 130 PITT-STREET, NEAR KING-STREET.
TELEPHONE, 2056 CENTRAL.

MOSMAN.

ATTRACTIVE SALE BY AUCTION,
TO-MORROW, THURSDAY,
5th DECEMBER, AT 11 O'CLOCK A.M.,
at
"SAYONNARA,"
RUBY-STREET, MOSMAN
(off Bradley's Head-road, just beyond the Buena Vista Hotel).

UNDER INSTRUCTIONS FROM
OTTO KNOLL, ESQ.,
IN CONSEQUENCE OF HIS DEPARTURE FOR EUROPE.

The whole of his
HANDSOME MODERN FURNITURE
and
HOUSEHOLD APPOINTMENTS,
the principal portion of which was recently supplied to Mr. Knoll's order
by
BEARD, WATSON, LTD., AND OTHER LEADING FURNISHING HOUSES.
Everything throughout the Residence is practically new and in perfect order, and includes
FINEST QUALITY AXMINSTER CARPETS,
COSTLY CURTAINS AND HANGINGS.

WALNUT DINING-ROOM FURNITURE.

ROSEWOOD DRAWING-ROOM APPOINTMENTS.

VALUABLE PIANOFORTE,
UPRIGHT GRAND, IN WALNUT CASE,
BY HELLER, BERLIN.
A superb instrument, in perfect order.

HALF-SIZE BILLIARD TABLE,
TASMANIAN BLACKWOOD FRAME, SLATE BED, AND ALL APPURTENANCES,
BY ALCOCK AND SONS,
IN SPLENDID ORDER AND CONDITION.

THE COMPLETE APPOINTMENTS
for
SEVERAL FULLY AND WELL FURNISHED BEDROOMS.
KITCHEN AND LAUNDRY FURNITURE AND REQUISITES.
OAK CABINET ICE CHEST, PATENT MANGLE, GARDEN TOOLS.
GREEN'S LAWN MOWER, GARDEN HOSE, BUSHHOUSE PLANTS,
etc., etc.
ON VIEW THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, 4th DECEMBER, from 10 o'clock a.m. till 5 p.m., and prior to sale on Thursday morning.

JAMES R. LAWSON AND LITTLE,
FINE ART, FURNITURE, AND GENERAL AUCTIONEERS,
128 and 130 PITT-STREET, NEAR KING-STREET.

IMPORTANT FURNITURE SALE.

HIGHLY SUPERIOR FURNISHINGS AND APPOINTMENTS.

REMOVED FROM A RESIDENTIAL FLAT AT CROMER, PHILLIP-STREET.

TO BE SOLD BY AUCTION
ON FRIDAY NEXT,
6th DECEMBER, AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK A.M.

AT THE COMMODIOUS ROOMS
of
JAMES R. LAWSON AND LITTLE,
128, 130 PITT-STREET, NEAR KING-STREET.

Also,
ON ACCOUNT OF VARIOUS VENDORS,
AN EXTENSIVE AND VALUED ASSORTMENT
of
FURNITURE AND HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS,
REMOVED TO THE ROOMS FROM SEVERAL PRIVATE RESIDENCES.

SEVERAL PIANOFORTES,
High-grade Instruments, by the Leading Makers.

And,
IN A DECEASED ESTATE,
A QUANTITY OF PERSONAL JEWELLERY,
WITHOUT ANY RESERVE.

AT TWELVE O'CLOCK NOON,
THE CABIN LAUNCH, BROWNIE.

THE CABIN LAUNCH, BUFFALO.
and
ONE NEW 2-3 H.P. PALMER ENGINE,
ONE NEW 5-6 H.P. PALMER ENGINE.

NOTE.—The above may be inspected at Lander's Boat Shed, Lavender Bay.

ONE SPEEDWELL F.M. MOTOR CYCLE.
Two Speeds, Free Engine, Shaft Drive, 2¾ H.P. Single Cylinder, in good order.

FULL PARTICULARS IN THURSDAY'S AUCTION COLUMN.

JAMES R. LAWSON AND LITTLE,
FURNITURE, FINE ART, AND GENERAL AUCTIONEERS,
128, 130 PITT-STREET, NEAR KING-STREET.

TELEPHONE, CENTRAL 2056.

SALE OF PAINTINGS,
by
Mr. A. EARLINGTON ROSEBRAY,
on
TUESDAY NEXT, 10th DECEMBER,
AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK A.M.
at
JAMES R. LAWSON AND LITTLE,
128 and 130 PITT-STREET, NEAR KING-STREET.
A VALUABLE COLLECTION
of
ABOUT 100 PICTURES
of
SYDNEY HARBOUR
and
AUSTRALIAN BIRD LIFE.

ON VIEW MONDAY NEXT, 9th DECEMBER, from 10 o'clock a.m., and prior to sale on Tuesday morning.
CATALOGUES posted free on application to the Auctioneers.

JAMES R. LAWSON AND LITTLE,
FINE ART AND GENERAL AUCTIONEERS,
128 and 130 PITT-STREET, NEAR KING-STREET.

ROSEVILLE-CHATSWOOD.—Peckham Rye Est., splen. Villa and Residence Sites, Next Sat. R. and W., Ltd.

AUCTION SALES.

BUILDING MATERIALS for BUILDER and FARMER,
on site of Weatherboard Cottage situate
64 ABERCROMBIE-STREET, REDFERN,
will be sold by auction
TO-DAY, WEDNESDAY, AT 11 A.M.,
comprising—
1000ft H.W. Splayed W. BOARDS.
2000ft 18 x ½ PARTITION BOARDS.
1000ft Painted LINING and PARTITION BOARDS.
1000ft H.W. FLOORING, PALINGS, SKIRTINGS.
H.W. JOISTS and RAFTERS, 6 x 2, 4 x 2, 3 x 2.
PANEL DOORS, 6.6 x 2.6, SASHES, and Frames.
"Waratah" STOVE, GRATES, Ledge Doors, etc., etc.

GEO. M. PUGH
has been instructed by Mr. GUS DEVINE to sell the above, WITHOUT RESERVE.
TERMS, CASH. TO-DAY, WEDNESDAY.

HOMEBUSH HORSE SALEYARDS.
We are holding our usual Weekly Horse Sale at the above Yards, on SATURDAY NEXT, DEC. 7th. Owners who intend favouring us with the Sale of their Horses on that date are requested to forward particulars at once.
J. H. BEALE and CO.,
Auctioneers and Horse Salesmen,
Tel., City 465. 280 Pitt-street, Sydney.

GIGANTIC SALE of SURPLUS BUILDING MATERIALS AND SURPLUS BUILDERS' PLANT,
on Site, near WEMYSS-STREET, in STANMORE ROAD (adjoining Newington College).
BY PUBLIC AUCTION.
SATURDAY, DEC. 7, AT 2.30 SHARP.
This is of interest to all the BUILDING TRADE, PROPERTY OWNERS, and SPECULATIVE BUILDERS, the lots including:—
A Large and Varied Assortment of DOORS, Panel, Ledge, Half-Glass, Warehouse, etc.
Large-framed YARD GATES, CEDAR PANELLING.
H'wood Flooring, Scotias, Battens, Studs.
2000ft ARRIS RAILS, H.W. GIRDERS.
2 Portable Offices in sections, 11 x 8, 10 x 9.
SLATES.—2000 P. Banger 20 x 10, Blue do. 18 x 9, 1500 Slates 16 x 8, Ridge and Crest Tiles.
NEW SLATE NOSING, 1in, in good lengths.
Slate Slabs, Marble Mantel, Reg. Grates.
Iron Girders, 5 Tons Iron Columns, etc.
4cwt Lead, Sashweights, Copper Piping.
Sashes of all kinds, Box Fr. and Sashes.
GAS FITTINGS, TILES, a large quantity, useful M.R. GLASS, in original sheets; Plate, Sheet Glass.
Sets of old Harness, Chimney Tops, Waterpiping.
500 Sheets Gal. Iron and Ceiling Iron.
Ladders, Trestles, about 300 Scaffold Planks.
CRANE, 45ft Jib, Cradles, Wire Rope.
BUILDING STONE, Curbs, Steps, Foundation, and Flagging; a LARGE QUANTITY.
AIR BRICKS, LOUVRES, Steel Ceiling, and Sundry Items too numerous to particularise.

GEO. M. PUGH
has been instructed to sell the above,
WITHOUT THE SLIGHTEST RESERVE. SPOT CASH.
SATURDAY AFTERNOON, commence 2.30.
Auctioneer's 'Phone: 1171 Petersham.

PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT
of
GIGANTIC SALE OF BUILDING TIMBERS,
BY PUBLIC AUCTION.
On Site, opp. Jones-street, GEORGE-STREET WEST,
comprising
20,000ft new T. and G. FLOORING, 6 x 1, 4 x 1.
PANEL DOORS, WINDOW OPENINGS, Ledge Doors.
H.W. JOISTS, 6 x 2, equal new; RAFTERS, 4 x 2½.
KAURI FLOORING, LINING, GAL. IRON, Everything.

GEO. M. PUGH
General Auctioneer.
Date: THURSDAY, DEC. 12, AT 11 A.M.

ESTATE DR. W. BRADLEY VIOLETTE, Deceased. Clearance Auction Sale of First-class Furniture, Effects, and Motor Car, THIS DAY, at 2 o'clock sharp, At Lynton, Redmyre-road, Strathfield.
G. H. MOBBS and CO., Auctioneers.

ATTEND THE AUCTION
AT "ABBOTSFORD," KATOOMBA,
NEXT SATURDAY.

This is one of the finest opportunities ever presented of securing a picked piece of Mountain Property.

There's no gainsaying that Katoomba is the fastest-growing place on the Blue Mountains and the development continues there just like it does in Sydney.

"Abbotsford" is situated in Katoomba-st., the main residential street, and commands magnificent views of the Jamieson Valley and its panoramic grandeur.

The distance from the Station is only eight minutes—just far enough away to give it the charm of quietness and privacy.

THE HOUSE KNOWN AS "ABBOTSFORD" WILL BE SOLD; ALSO THE GROUNDS CUT UP INTO 28 LARGE LOTS, WITH FRONTAGES TO KATOOMBA-STREET, ABBOTSFORD-ROAD, WARIALDA-STREET, AND CASCADE-STREET.

This splendid property is in every way highly desirable. We expect some spirited bidding for the well-known house, and the large choice of lots will give everybody a chance.

The soil is excellent, and the grounds are in every way beautiful, there being many shade trees and fruit trees.

Katoomba property continues to increase in value each year, so lots here are a safe investment, as a slump is impossible in such a popular health and pleasure resort.

Visitors from other parts are reminded of the grandeur of Blue Mountain scenery, which is unsurpassed in many respects. The climate is the most invigorating within easy distance of Sydney.

Go to the Mountains next Saturday, and make the trip one of pleasure and profit.

REMEMBER—SATURDAY, DEC. 7.

AUCTION COMMENCES AT 2.30.

LIBERAL TERMS.

Full particulars and plans on application to the Auctioneers.

GOYDER BROS., AND A. MARX,
AUCTIONEERS IN CONJUNCTION,
KATOOMBA.

TORRENS TITLE.

KATOOMBA:
45 ALLOTMENTS.

The
SUNRISE ESTATE,
7 minutes from Station.
High Land.

GLORIOUS VIEWS OF JAMIESON VALLEY
and
MEETING OF THE WATERS.

TERMS: 10 per cent. deposit, balance 36 monthly payments. Interest 5 per cent.

AUCTION SALE ON THE GROUND,
SATURDAY, DEC. 21, AT 3 P.M.

SOLICITORS,
Messrs. HAROLD T. MORGAN and MORGAN,
Ocean House,
24 Moore-street, Sydney.

AUCTIONEERS,
GOYDER BROS., Katoomba, in conjunction with MACKENZIE and LAWRIE, Katoomba.

Lithos Available Shortly.

NEXT SATURDAY.

POMONA ESTATE, ROSEVILLE.
POMONA ESTATE, LINDFIELD.

5 minutes from either station.
Bounded by the Railway Line.

40 BEAUTIFUL SITES,
AUCTION,
NEXT SATURDAY.

LINDFIELD for fast train service.
ROSEVILLE, most progressive suburb on the line.
SPECULATORS and SEEKERS FOR HOME SITES should attend the Sale,
NEXT SATURDAY.
DON'T FORGET ELECTRIFICATION OF RAILWAY SHORTLY,
WHEN VALUES MUST APPRECIATE.
Terms, 10 per cent. deposit, and 4 years for balance.
TORRENS TITLE.

Plans from

SL. DE and BROWN,
34 Moore-street, or Branch Office, Chatswood.

ROSEVILLE-CHATSWOOD.—Peckham Rye Est., splen. Villa and Residence Sites, Next Sat. R. and W., Ltd.

AUCTION SALES.

THE RIGHT KIND OF

INVESTMENT—

It has become almost "a household word" that land in a growing and prosperous locality is the best of all propositions.
It doesn't call for the acute brain of the expert to recognise the wisdom of securing a Home Site at BANKSTOWN—which can be accomplished without capital: Rickard's Easy Terms enable one to do that.

CONDELL PARK ESTATE, BANKSTOWN.

is an investment of the "gilt-edged" variety. Right in the heart of a growing and prosperous suburb—the terminus of the Belmore Line—a locality in which we have already sold over £70,000 worth—a locality healthy, picturesque, and with prospects second to none. Every year, every month, in fact, sees values steadily on the rise—houses, good houses, too, have sprung up all round. Sweet-smelling orchards, beautiful flower gardens, prosperous poultry runs, and cosy dwellings have transformed Bankstown into a veritable Arcadia.

BEST OF ALL,

BANKSTOWN IS ONLY 13 miles—35 minutes' journey to Sydney—and has now a greatly improved train service, and Condell Park is just a minute or two from the station.

OUR OPENING AUCTION SALE

NEXT SATURDAY,

AT 3 P.M., ON GROUND.

WE ARE MAKING THIS THE OPENING SALE

OF OUR SEASON,

and we feel sure that it

WILL BE A BIG ONE.

ALL OUR LAND AT BANKSTOWN

HAS BEEN GOOD,

and

CONDELL PARK IS AS GOOD AS THE BEST.

THE PROPERTY WILL BE OFFERED ON OUR EASY TERMS OF £1 DOWN,

AND 10s PER MONTH FOR EVERY

£30 PURCHASED.

TORRENS TITLE.

PLANS NOW READY.

THE PASSWORD TO PROSPERITY:

RICKARD'S EASY TERMS.

ARTHUR RICKARD AND CO., LTD.,
84B PITT-STREET,
REALTY SPECIALISTS.

AT THE TRAM TERMINUS.

COOPER'S

BELLEVUE HILL-BONDI ESTATE.

There are many home Sites in Sydney which command the magnificent harbour views for which our city is justly famous. There are others which have the advantage of being in select high-class localities—a few possess the added charm of accessibility—but there are NONE which combine ALL these features in the same degree as this one, which we offer for sale by

PUBLIC AUCTION,

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 14.

THE SALE

will take place at 3 p.m. on the ground, and will mark an epoch in the land sales of this city. Already we have been inundated with inquiries about this magnificent property, which is a fair indication of the high place it holds in the estimation of buyers.

THE PROPERTY

extends from the present Bellevue Hill Terminus, along the Victoria-road as far as the boundary of Mr. Mark Foy's residence, and runs right down to the O'Sullivan-road and the Golf Links. It is bounded on the other side by the Old South Head-road, and lots fronting this road command a splendid Easterly aspect.

THE LOCALITY

is recognised as being one of the most select in Sydney. Many of our leading citizens have beautiful and imposing homes adjoining the Estate—in fact, Sydney's finest homes are right here. The Governor's residence is close by, and the walks from Victoria-road to Rose Bay are most charming and picturesque. Lovers of boating, bathing, surfing, or golfing have all the facilities close at hand.

TERMS.

The terms are very easy, and should form a big inducement to purchasers. 5 per cent. deposit, balance in 60 monthly or twenty quarterly payments.

THE VIEW

is most comprehensive and impressive. On one side are the deep blue of the ocean and the golden sands of Bondi Beach with its merry groups of surfers; on the other, the sparkling waters of the harbour, dotted with the white sails of many pleasure craft—the graceful sweep of Rose Bay, with its fleet of launches, and right in front is the refreshing green of the golf links, backed by a noble expanse of verdant hills, their freshness accentuated by red roofs here and there, and forming in all a most delightful landscape.

THE TRAM SERVICE

is one of the best—fast and frequent—and keeping residents in easy touch with the city. The Extension from Bellevue Hill terminus to Bondi has been passed by the Committee of Public Works, and RUNS RIGHT THROUGH THE ESTATE, thereby enhancing the value of every lot.

THE ROADS

have been carefully laid out, and the Estate is splendidly served in this respect. Arrangements have been made to kerb, gutter, and blue metal all the roads on the property. The lots will average 50 x 150 feet, and every one will be an ideal home site.

THE TITLE WILL BE TORRENS.

ARTHUR RICKARD AND CO., LTD.,
84B Pitt-street, Auctioneers and Realty Specialists.
IN CONJUNCTION WITH
J. FRANK COX, LTD.,
THE BEACH, BONDI,
and BONDI JUNCTION.

Police Department,
Inspector General's Office,
Traffic Branch,
Sydney, November 14, 1912.

THE undermentioned property deposited at the above office, and unclaimed for the period of 3 months, will, in accordance with Public Vehicles Regulations 29 and 30, be sold by Public Auction on Wednesday, the 4th day of December, 1912, by Mr. JOHN P. LISTER, at his Auction Rooms, Pitt-street, Sydney, at 10 o'clock a.m. sharp, unless previously claimed:—Umbrellas, Parachutes, Sticks, Bags, Books, Clothing, Overcoats, Boots, and other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS: CASH, NO RESERVE.

ERNEST C. DAY,
(182) Inspector-General of Police.

AUCTION SALES of MACHINERY CONDUCTED.
R. G. WATKINS and CO.,
Machinery Auctioneers,
107 Kent-street, Sydney.

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AUCTION SALES.

ORDER OF SALE
of
SHARES, CITY AND SUBURBAN PROPERTIES,
for
AUCTION SALE, IN THE ROOMS,
133 PITT-STREET,
THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 4th, 1912,
at 11.30 a.m.

SHARES.—SHARES IN THE CIVIL SERVICE CO-OP. SOCIETY, Ltd.

CITY, CROWN-STREET.—PAIR THREE-STORIED HOUSES, Nos. 273 and 275, close to Oxford-street.

WOOLLAHRA.—TWO-STORY BRICK HOUSE, ARDELA, No. 147 Queen-street (Mortgagee's Sale).

NEWTOWN.—THREE-STORY BRICK SHOP and DWELLING, No. 634 King-street.

KOGARAH.—BUILDING SITE, Carroll-street.

FRESHWATER (MANLY).—BUSINESS SITE, together with six camps erected thereon, Charles-street.

MANLY (BROOKVALE).—VACANT BLOCK, Pittwater-road.

CORAKI (RICHMOND RIVER).—RIVER FRONTAGE FARM, 127 Acres.

HARDIE and GORMAN,
Auctioneers.

NEXT SATURDAY,

RANDWICK. RANDWICK.

IN ONE OF THE CHOICEST POSITIONS, OVERLOOKING AND CONVENIENT TO COOGEE'S GREAT BEACH.

BYRON LODGE ESTATE,

FRONTING MAIN BELMORE-ROAD, OPPOSITE THE

ROYAL HOTEL AND RESERVE.

TRAM STOPS AT THE ESTATE.

TORRENS TITLE. EASY TERMS.

PLANS ARE READY.

Messrs. W. R. and F. B. JONES, 107 Pitt-street, Solicitors to the Estate.

AUCTION SALE ON THE GROUND,

AT 3 P.M.,

NEXT SATURDAY, 7th DECEMBER,

1912.

HARDIE AND GORMAN,
AUCTIONEERS,
133 PITT-STREET, in Conjunction with
WILLIAMS, WHYTE, AND CO., Local Agents,
RANDWICK.

WAVERLEY HEIGHTS, WAVERLEY,

LEVERRIER'S ESTATE,

comprising 7 Choice Allotments, the Pick of the Waverley District,
situated at the Corner of

CARRINGTON-ROAD and BIRRELL-STREET,

Seven Minutes from BONDI JUNCTION,
and Three Minutes from WAVERLEY POST-OFFICE and TRAM,

and almost OPPOSITE WAVERLEY PARK.

For

AUCTION SALE, ON THE GROUND, AT 3 P.M.,

NEXT SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1912.

TORRENS TITLE. EASY TERMS.

HARDIE and GORMAN, AUCTIONEERS, etc.,
PITT-STREET and BONDI JUNCTION,
in Conjunction with
J. FRANK COX and COMPANY, LTD.,
AUCTIONEERS, ETC.,
LOMBARD-CHAMBERS, 107 PITT-STREET;
and at TRAM TERMINUS, BONDI BEACH,
and BONDI JUNCTION.

STEPHEN, JAQUES, and STEPHEN, SOLICITORS FOR THE ESTATE.

BY ORDER OF THE TRUSTEES IN THE ESTATE OF THE LATE THOMAS WAITE.

ROOKWOOD,

between Notting Hill-road and Joseph-street, and convenient to station.
LOT 1.—BLOCK OF LAND, 80 feet to VICTORIA-STREET by 142 feet 1 inch, upon which are erected 2 W.B. COTTAGES, iron roofs; 1 has 4 rooms, kitchen, let to Mr. Taylor at 8s per week; the other has 5 rooms and kitchen, let to Mr. Castle, at 7s per week—£41 12s P.A.
LOT 2.—BLOCK OF LAND, 40 feet to VICTOR-STREET by 162 feet 11¼ inches, upon which is erected W.B. COTTAGE, iron roof, having 4 rooms and kitchen, let to Mr. Longhurst at 8s per week—£23 8s P.A.
LOT 3 (Adjoining Lot 2).—BLOCK OF LAND, 40ft to VICTOR-STREET, by 162ft 11¼in.
PLAN ON VIEW AT THE SALEROOMS.
Solicitors to the Estate: Messrs. ROBSON and COWLISHAW, City Bank-chambers, 164 Pitt-street.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell the above by PUBLIC AUCTION, at their Salerooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on
NEXT WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1912.

PEAKHURST.

A HOME WITH A LARGE AREA OF LAND. Suitable for a retired squatter or gentleman from the country. Two miles from Penshurst Station, from which coach runs regularly.

TALLAWANTA, brick Cottage, with iron roof, containing hall, drawing and dining rooms, 4 bedrooms, kitchen, pantry, bathroom, washhouse, sheds, stables, etc. GROUND SUBDIVIDED INTO 4 PADDOCKS, GARDEN AND LAWN.
LAND, 14 acres 2 rds 27½ perches, with frontage to Talbot-street, and 44 chains frontage to surveyed streets. Torrens Title.

HARDIE and GORMAN will submit to public auction, in the Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, Sydney, at 11.30 a.m. on
NEXT WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1912.
The above described Property.

MARRICKVILLE.

LOT 1.—CALVERT-STREET, TWO D.F. BRICK COTTAGES, HILLGROVE and CLIFTON, each having front and back verandahs, 5 rooms, kitchen, laundry, bathroom, etc. Side and back entrances. Let at 18s per week each, equals £93 12s.
LAND, 68 feet to Calvert-street by 100 feet through to lane at rear. TORRENS.

LOT 2.—CORNER OF SHEPHERD AND KING STREETS, TWO D.F. BRICK COTTAGES, WANGAREE and KANIMBLA, each having tiled verandahs, 4 rooms, kitchen, laundry, bathroom, etc. Let at 14s 6d per week, equals £75 8s.
LAND, 50 feet to Shepherd-street by 100 feet 8in to and along King-street. TORRENS.

HARDIE and GORMAN (in conjunction with W. F. BUTLER) have received instructions to sell the above by public auction, at their Salerooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock on
NEXT WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1912.

PORT HACKING.

ABSOLUTE WATER FRONTAGE.
Adjoining Mr. Forsyth's Property, in elevated position, and opposite Lilliplili Point.
WEATHERBOARD COTTAGE, iron roof, stone foundation, Cobbonvilla, 6 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, washhouse, etc. Large sleeping-out verandah all round, boatshed and boat.
All the furniture on the property is included in the sale.
LAND has an area of about 5 acres.
TORRENS TITLE.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell the above by public auction, at their Salerooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on
NEXT WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1912.
Appointment must be made to inspect.

CAMPSIE.

within 4 minutes from station, on righthand side of Line.
Corner of Fifth and Ninth Avenues.
DETACHED D.F. COTTAGE, built of brick, iron roof, having 5 rooms, kitchen, laundry, bathroom, pantry, and every convenience. Glassed-in back verandah for sleeping out.
SPLENDID GARDEN, WELL LAID OUT, FRUIT TREES IN FULL BEARING, GRAPE VINES, ETC.
LAND, 82 feet to Ninth-avenue by 132 feet along Fifth-avenue.
TORRENS TITLE.

HARDIE and GORMAN (in conjunction with A. D. MILLER, of Petersham) have received instructions to sell the above by Public Auction, at their Salerooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on
NEXT WEDNESDAY, 11th DECEMBER, 1912.

THE SYDNEY MAIL.
The Literary Department of the Sydney Mail contains each week Original Essays and Papers of the most entertaining kind.

AUCTION SALES.

UPSET PRICE FROM 6s PER FOOT.
SATURDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1912.

A GREAT LOCALITY.

A GREAT ESTATE.
Seven Subdivisions dealt with, 850 Lots already sold.

Eighth and last subdivision of
SILVERWATER ESTATE, AUBURN.

AN ESTABLISHED INDUSTRIAL CENTRE.

Convenient to the Railway, Principal Business Places, Schools, and Churches.

TERMS.—£1 per Lot Deposit, Balance by 60 equal Monthly Payments, Interest at 5 p.c.

TORRENS TITLE. EASY TERMS.

PLANS READY.

H. N. COLLINS, Esq., 40 Elizabeth-street,
Solicitor to the Estate.

AUCTION SALE ON THE GROUND, 3 p.m.,
SATURDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1912.

HARDIE and GORMAN,
Auctioneers,
133 Pitt-street.

In Conjunction with LANG and DAWES, Auburn.

The opportunity for the Man who wants to Build.
MAROUBRA—KENSINGTON.

ONE OF THE MOST PROGRESSIVE OF SYDNEY'S SUBURBS.

SNAPE PARK ESTATE,

DIRECTLY OPPOSITE THE PARK, next to the Public School, at the Tram Stop, STOREY-STREET and BROAD-ROAD.

12 GOOD SITES.

Frontages to STOREY-STREET and HANNAN-STREET, FACING "SNAPE PARK," which is fenced and planted.
Lithos Ready.

S. B. Madsen, Bond-street, Surveyor.
S. M. Stephens, Moore and Castlereagh streets, Solicitor to the Estate.

TORRENS TITLE.

TERMS: 10 per cent. Discount, balance in 12 quarterly payments at 5 per cent. interest.

AUCTION SALE ON THE GROUND,
SATURDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1912,
AT 3 O'CLOCK.

HARDIE and GORMAN,
Auctioneers, 133 Pitt-street.

1.—HARBOUR AND LITTLE HAY STREETS.—7 NEWLY-ERECTED 6-STORY STORES or SHOPS, built of brick, with iron roof, each contg. Shop, 4 rooms. All Let, and producing
£884 YEARLY.
The Land has a frontage of 91 feet 10 inches to Harbour-street, 75 feet 4 inches to Little Hay-street, and 97 feet 9 inches to Kimber-lane. Title Torrens.

2.—WOOLLOOMOOLOO, LIVERPOOL and PALMER STREETS.—Valuable Corner Property, Nos. 213, 215, 217 Palmer-st., consisting Brick-built Shop and Dwg., contg. in all Shop, 5 rooms, kitchen, bathroom; adjoining, fronting Palmer-street, large 2-story Brick Building, occupied by Messrs. Wright and Sturrock, and No. 286 Liverpool-street, Brick-built House, contg. verandah, balcony, hall, 5 rooms, bathroom, kitchen, washhouse. The whole producing
£321 YEARLY.
The Land has a frontage of 80 feet 7 inches to Liverpool-street, by a depth to and along Palmer-street of 90 feet, and a frontage to a lane at the rear.

3.—CAMPERDOWN, Nos. 132 and 134 MISSENDEN-ROAD.—Two Brick-built Houses, with iron roofs, each contg. verandah, balcony, hall, 4 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, and washhouse. Both Let, and producing
£93 4s YEARLY.
The Land has a frontage of 43 feet 2½ inches to Missenden-road by a depth of 128 feet 2¼ inches on north side, and 144 feet on south side.

4.—CAMPERDOWN, ELIZABETH-STREET.—Block of Land, having 130 feet frontage by a depth of 80 feet, upon which are W.B. Buildings, and used at present as a Timberyard. Title Freehold.

VENDORS' SOLICITOR, H. C. ELLISON RICH, Esq., Bligh-chambers, 10 Bligh-street.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Salerooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock on
WEDNESDAY, 18th DECEMBER, 1912,
The above described Investment Properties.
Terms: One-third cash, balance in three years, at 5 p.c., secured by mortgage.

TO PROPRIETORS OF LARGE BUSINESS HOUSES requiring light and area particularly, and to those seeking for blocks of land for factory purposes, the Auctioneers desire to direct attention to this exceptional chance of that magnificent block bounded by
REGENT-STREET,
KENSINGTON-STREET,
AND
OUTRAM-STREET.
CLOSE TO THE CENTRAL RAILWAY STATION and the MAIN ARTERIES OF THE CITY GOING WEST,
WITH UNIQUE ADVERTISING POSITION FOR ANY BUSINESS REQUIREMENTS.

The Measurements are about
246 FEET TO REGENT-STREET.
181 FEET TO KENSINGTON-STREET,
172 FEET TO OUTRAM-STREET.

THIS FINE BLOCK OF LAND WILL FIRST BE OFFERED FOR SALE in one line, and if not so sold then IN LOTS as per plan upon view at the Salerooms prepared by Mr. Surveyor Rygate.

All the buildings, including
"THE EMU HOTEL,"
The premises occupied by
WOOD, COFFILL, and CO., LTD.
The 2-story Residences and the building at rear must be removed from the property to take advantage of the new and proper alignments of the streets.

TITLE FREEHOLD.

Messrs. McELHONE and BARNES, 15 CASTLEREAGH-STREET, Vendor's Solicitors.

HARDIE and GORMAN have been favoured with instructions from the owner to sell by Public Auction, at their Salerooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock on
WEDNESDAY, 18th DECEMBER, 1912.
THAT MAGNIFICENT BLOCK OF CITY LAND
bounded by
REGENT, KENSINGTON, and OUTRAM STREETS.

TO SQUATTERS PARTICULARLY, OR OTHERS REQUIRING A FINE RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY AT
TURRAMURRA,
ON THE MILSON'S POINT—HORNSBY RAILWAY LINE,
600 feet above sea level.
INGLEHOLME,
FRONTING KURING-GAI CHASE-AVE.,
WOMERAH-ROAD.
The Picturesque Residence, built and for many years occupied by John Sulman, Esq., and latterly the Suburban Home of W. Killen, Esq., of Barellan, New South Wales, and now for sale on account of his decision to reside permanently on his station.

INGLEHOLME is built of brick, with tiled roof, and contains drawing and dining rooms, large Music-room (40ft x 28ft), 10 bedrooms, 2 bathrooms, kitchen, pantry, storerooms, box-rooms, etc.
Extensive stabling, coachhouse, garage, men's rooms, workshops, cycle runs, gardeners' shops, rubbish destructor, and gymnasium.

LAND in area 7 ACRES 2 ROODS 20¼ PERS. Well-kept Gardens, 2 Tennis Courts, Vegetable Gardens, Orchard in full-bearing, and Paddocks.
If the whole of the land is not required, the House will be sold with 4 acres, and the balance of the land in 3 Blocks, comprising Magnificent RESIDENTIAL SITES.
Plan on view at the Salerooms.
Caretaker in charge. Inspection by card.

HARDIE and GORMAN (in conjunction with Ekin and Co., of Newtown) will sell the above by Public Auction, at the Salerooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock on
WEDNESDAY, 18th DECEMBER, 1912.

"WITHIN THE WHISPER OF THE WAVES."

COOGEE,

SELBORNE ESTATE.

The Balance of this Choice Property is NOW BEING SUBDIVIDED INTO BUILDING BLOCKS, with Frontages to CARRINGTON-ROAD, ALLISON-ROAD, BREAM-STREET, ABBOTT-STREET, and MELODY-STREET.

PLANS BEING PREPARED.

AUCTION SALE, ON THE GROUND,

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1912

AT 3 O'CLOCK.

HARDIE AND GORMAN, AUCTIONEERS,
133 PITT-STREET.

AUCTION SALES.

THE SCENIC HILL TOPS OF THE STRATHFIELD-HORNSBY LINE
SURROUND

EASTWOOD. EASTWOOD

ONLY 13 MILES FROM THE CITY.

WE WANT YOU TO SEE US ABOUT

RAILWAY STATION ESTATE,
EASTWOOD,

RIGHT AT THE STATION, FRONTING MAY AND BALACLAVA STREETS,

SUBDIVIDED INTO HOME SITES

FOR AUCTION SALE, ON THE GROUND, AT 3 P.M., ON

SATURDAY, 21st DECEMBER, 1912,

TORRENS TITLE. EASY TERMS.
PLANS READY.

VENDORS ARE WILLING SELLERS,
BUYERS WILL REAP THE BENEFIT.

HARDIE AND GORMAN, AUCTIONEERS,
133 PITT-STREET
(in conjunction with MUNRO and CO., Epping).

INVEST YOUR MONEY

IN MOUNTAIN LAND.

Each Season the Blue Mountain Resorts become more populous. Each season Good Land becomes scarcer. All along the line progress is being felt; land values increase accordingly.

MOUNTAIN LAND this side of Blackheath is rapidly becoming almost prohibitive to many; too high to buy on pure spec. But Superb Building Land at reasonable cost, and with every assurance of substantial profit, is within your grasp, at Blackheath, and on easy terms and small deposit, too.

The Home Building and Orchard Sites of

GOVETT'S LEAP ESTATE,
BLACKHEATH,

offer no better investment.
This Estate is highly elevated, is easily accessible to Blackheath Station, overlooks Govett's Leap and the Valley of the Grose, and adjoins the Govett's Leap Reserves—points which must, allied to all its other advantages and conveniences, ensure for the Estate rapidly increasing value.

We ask you to investigate and see for yourself land which offers no better opportunity for Mountain Home or Investment. Begin now. Write for plan and Illustrated Booklet.

TORRENS TITLE. EASY TERMS.

AUCTION SALE,

BOXING DAY, DECEMBER 26th.

HARDIE and GORMAN, Pitt-street, Sydney,

W. G. DAY, Coogee

(Auctioneers in conjunction).

Local Agent: H. R. NEATE, Blackheath.

WRIGHTSON'S PALACE GROUNDS ESTATE.

COR. BURWOOD AND PUNCHBOWL ROADS.

Catch 1.46 train to Belmore. Free 'Bus to the Ground.

44 BIG LOTS
FOR AUCTION SALE,
ON THE GROUND,
SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7th,
at 3 o'clock.
£1 DEPOSIT, £1 MONTHLY.
BAND. FREE LOLLIES FOR ALL CHILDREN.

Also,
COTTAGE,
Weatherboard outside, internal walls brick.
The whole standing on a solid stone foundation.

This handsome dwelling contains hall, drawing-room, dining-room 21ft x 15ft 3in, breakfast-room 21ft x 15ft 6in, 4 large bedrooms, dressing-room, kitchen with fine stove and fixed sink, pantry, spacious bathroom, with necessary fittings.
Laundry, with copper, fixed tubs, etc.; fernery, external doors, also windows, are fitted with wire gauze screens, properly constructed; spacious verandah around dwelling. Water and gas laid on, also well, with pump, connected.
All floor timbers solidly constructed. The internal walls, also ceilings, are plastered.
This dwelling is in perfect order; lately been renovated both inside and outside. Land 132ft x 160ft. Corner of Punchbowl and Burwood roads, Belmore.

For AUCTION SALE, ON THE GROUND, DECEMBER 7th.

ARTHUR BLACKWOOD,
AUCTIONEER,
George and Hay streets, Haymarket.
Established 1900.

LINDFIELD, ROSEVILLE.

RUNNYMEDE ESTATE.

28 BIG LOTS.

66ft x 180ft.

BUILDING COVENANT, £400.

£2 Deposit. £2 Monthly. NO INTEREST.
£2 Deposit. £2 Monthly. For 6 Months.

Then 4 years monthly or quarterly payments, with 5 per cent. interest.

SEND FOR PLAN.

AUCTION SALE
on the

GROUND,

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 4th,

at 3 o'clock.

ARTHUR BLACKWOOD,
AUCTIONEER,
George and Hay streets, Haymarket.
Established 1900.

ARE WE DOWN-HEARTED? NO.

WHILE BLACKWOOD LIVES

so shall the Public have Homes,
ON EASY TERMS.

SUNSET ESTATE No. 2.

BRIGHTON-LE-SANDS.

YE ALL KNOW THE PLACE.

AUCTION SALE

BOXING DAY, DECEMBER 26, AT 2.30.

£1 DEPOSIT. £1 MONTHLY.

£30,000 WORTH ALREADY SOLD.

£30,000 WORTH MORE FOR YOU TO CHOOSE FROM.

Your Photo Free. Free Refreshments.

Tons of Sweets for Boys and Girls.
Refreshments for 2000.
BRASS BAND. A FAIR DEAL.
Plan Numbered, and Deeds at Once.

BLACKWOOD CONTROLS £50,000 AUTHORISED CAPITAL, AND CAN TREAT YOU WELL. No forfeiture without reason. Get Plan. Motor car will drive you all over Estate on Day of Sale.

WASH IN THE BRINY OCEAN.

ARTHUR BLACKWOOD,
AUCTIONEER,
Hay and George streets, Haymarket.
Established 1900.

DARLING POINT.

CARTHONA ESTATE.

Deep-water Frontages, and Elevated Sites.
For AUCTION SALE, ON THE GROUND, NEXT SATURDAY AFTERNOON, 7th DECEMBER,
1912.

These Sites are the finest in Australia, having an eastern aspect and extensive views; also liberal frontages, with great depths.

RICHARDSON AND CO.,
AUCTIONEERS,
32 Moore-street; and Rose Bay.

ROSEVILLE-CHATSWOOD.—Peckham Rye Est., splen. Villa and Residence Sites, Next Sat. R. and W., Ltd.

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AUCTION SALES.

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ON ACCOUNT AND RISK OF FORMER PURCHASER.

CITY FREEHOLD.

FRONTING
BLIGH-STREET,
opposite
UNION CLUB.

THAT CENTRAL AND VALUABLE BLOCK OF LAND, having 66 FEET FRONTAGE TO BLIGH-STREET, by a depth of 66 feet, together with the THREE RESIDENCES, Nos. 9 to 13 thereon.

*** A SPLENDID SITE, upon which to ERECT RESIDENTIAL CHAMBERS, which should prove a profitable investment.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 6th DECEMBER, at 11.30 a.m.,

The above first-class Property in a choice position in the city.

For PARTICULARS of TITLE apply to Messrs. DEANE and DEANE. (134)

FRESHWATER, MANLY.

LOT 1.—Weatherboard small COTTAGE, 2 rooms and kitchen, in CARRINGTON-PARADE, erected on land 40ft frontage by a depth of 227ft, back to a road called The Drive. Rent 10s per week.

LOT 2.—Large Block of Land, with weatherboard COTTAGE (on part), OLIVER-ROAD. It comprises Lots 10 to 15, having 124ft to Oliver-road, depth over 141ft along Copeland-street. On part is a cottage of 3 large rooms and kitchen, lined inside. Rent £1 per week. Situate 10 minutes from tram, and near post-office and school. Will be offered in 1 or 4 lots.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 6th December, at 11.30 a.m.,

The above Cottages and Vacant Lands, Freshwater, Manly.

ROWLAND H. SHORTER, Esq., is Solicitor of Owner. (161)

WORTHY OF ATTENTION.

NORTH SYDNEY.—50 feet frontage LANE COVE-ROAD (opposite Bay-street, and near M'Laren-street), depth 70 feet through to BURTON-STREET. A builder's block for investment or profit when he needs. At 1d tram stop, via Blue's Point steamer, and handy to other route.

GORDON.—Three large Allotments, each 100 feet frontage x 345-353ft depth, in GERTRUDE-AVENUE, near station.

GORDON.—One large Lot, No. 10, Sec. 4 Grove Estate, having 100 feet frontage Thomas-street, depth 400 feet.

WAHROONGA, FOX VALLEY-ROAD.—Lot 12, Sec. 4, Brown's Subdivision, 1a. 1r. 20½p. or 164 feet.

WARRAWEE.—Lot 28, in area 1a 2r 8½p, Fox Valley-road.

AUCTION SALE, FRIDAY, 6th DECEMBER,
At our Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, at 11.30.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd. (167)

MOSMAN.

Detached two-story RESIDENCE, in RAGLAN-STREET, a few yards from, and in sight of, Military-road.

***A good position for medical or Dental men, or it could be enlarged for a commodious home, or boarding-establishment, being so handy to the 1d tram section.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, LTD., will sell by Auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, DECEMBER 6, at 11.30 a.m.

BRICK-BUILT RESIDENCE, having verandah, balcony, hall, 7 rooms, bathroom, pantry, kitchen and laundry. The LAND has 61 feet 9½ inches to Raglan-street; depth 166ft 7in to 173ft 4in.

TORRENS.

CARDS TO VIEW from AUCTIONEERS. (165)

TO BUILDERS AND OTHERS.

PADDINGTON LAND.

BLOCK, having 41ft 3in to west side of GLENMORE-ROAD, between CAMPBELL and LIVERPOOL STREETS, depth 116ft on one side and 142ft 7½in on the other, back to right-of-way, width at rear 31ft 7in. On it is a shed of iron. Along the Glenmore-road line is a galvanised fence.

*** A good position for two houses, is only few yards from tram (Edgecliff).

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 6th December, at 11.30 a.m.,

The above described Land, at Paddington. (157)

IN ESTATE LATE PHOEBE MURPHY.

MARRICKVILLE PROPERTIES.

Lot 1.—Double-fronted COTTAGE, called KILLARA, Edinburgh-road (near St. Peters Station), of Weatherboard, has verandahs, hall, 4 rooms, kitchen, etc. LAND 40 x 160. TORRENS.

Lot 2.—Vacant Allotment, No. 2, Sec. 1, deposited plan 1567, 35 feet to Sydenham-road (opp. Bowling green), by 120ft. TORRENS.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, LTD. (in conjunction with McCOY and CO.), will sell by Auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, DECEMBER 6, at 11.30 a.m., the above.

Messrs. McCOY and McCOY are Solicitors of the Estate. (164)

MOSMAN.

COTTAGE RESIDENCE, No. 143 RAGLAN-STREET, near Military-road, of brick on stone foundations, tile roof, verandah 7ft wide, contains hall, 6 rooms, bathroom, kitchen, scullery, linen room. Grounds are pretty, lawn and garden. Land 65 x 151 to 166 feet, rear line 45 feet. Water, gas, and sewer connections. Torrens Title. Situation 2 minutes from tram corner at Public School, corner of Military-road.

AUCTION SALE, FRIDAY, 6th DECEMBER,
at our Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, at 11.30.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, LTD.
Cards to inspect from Auctioneers. (171)

Lot 1. ARNCLIFFE, near Station.

SPLENDID BUILDING SITE, being lots 22 and 23, Section 1, BARDEN ESTATE, 50 feet to BARDEN-STREET; depth 116 feet back to lane. TORRENS.

Lot 2. LIVERPOOL.—12½ ACRES, ECKENBERG-ROAD (about 2½ miles from Liverpool, and near Reservoir), being lots 4 to 6 BULL'S HILL ESTATE. TORRENS.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, LTD., will sell by Auction at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, DECEMBER 6, at 11.30 a.m., the above. (160)

ENFIELD, ADJOINING BURWOOD.

Double-fronted COTTAGE, in MINA ROSA-STREET, within 3 minutes' walk of 1d section of tram (Burwood to Enfield), is of brick, front and rear verandah, hall, 4 rooms, bathroom, and kitchen. Land 60 feet by about 130 feet, back to a street. TORRENS TITLE.

***Just Renovated, and will be kept vacant.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, LTD., in conjunction with W. A. Walker, of Enfield, will sell by Auction at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, DECEMBER 6, at 11.30 a.m. The above. (162)

NEAR CENTENNIAL PARK.

GOOD BUILDING ALLOTMENT, No. 6, Sec. 111, Government Subdivision, having 53ft 3½in frontage to west side of COOK-ROAD, depth 145ft to 151ft.

*** Handy to tram at Oxford-street and Park-road, and near Centennial Park.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 6th December, at 11.30 a.m.,

The Above LAND. TORRENS TITLE. (159)

TOXTETH, GLEBE POINT.

Detached two-story Villa Residence, "Craig Lea," at corner of MANSFIELD and BOYCE STREETS, built of brick, slate roof, verandahs, balconies, hall, ten rooms, maid's room, and all outoffices. LAND 50 feet x 120 feet, extending to a lane. A quiet, select, private residence district, near tram, and suit for hospital or boarding-house.

AUCTION SALE, FRIDAY, 6th DECEMBER,
at our Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, at 11.30,
in conjunction with STIMSON and SONS, Glebe.

RICHARDSON AND WRENCH, LTD. (153)

HIGHGATE-STREET, AUBURN.

COTTAGE of w'boards (lath and plaster interior), verandahs, hall, 5 rooms, kitchen, etc., in good order. Land, 88 feet x 365 feet. Good, high situation, near to Hampstead-road. Key with H. Pritchard, Auctioneer, close to Auburn Station, acting in conjunction.

AUCTION SALE, FRIDAY, 6th DECEMBER,
at our Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, at 11.30.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, LTD. (170)

CAMPERDOWN (CITY) INVESTMENT.

THREE COTTAGES, Nos. 58, 60, 62 CAMPBELL-STREET (between Church-street and Missenden-road). They are of brick, tuck-pointed fronts, verandahs in front, and each contains 3 rooms, kitchen, and washhouse. Land 40 x 98 feet, back to a lane. Gas, sewer, and city water connections. Rents £102 14s per annum.

AUCTION SALE of the above at the Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 6th DECEMBER, at 11.30 a.m.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd. (166)

LILYFIELD.—ALLOTMENT 14, Sec. 4, PALING ESTATE, 33ft frontage to EDNA-STREET, depth 101½ feet. TORRENS TITLE. Handy to tram in Catherine-street.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 6th December, at 11.30 a.m.,

The above Building Site at Lilyfield, Leichhardt. Plan on view. (158)

SURRY HILLS, CITY.

A CORNER INVESTMENT of FOUR two-story HOUSES, Nos. [illegible] RILEY-STREET, at the corner of MILES-STREET. Land, 58 feet x 81 feet 6 inches, back to a lane, to which it has 58ft ftge. RENTAL, £265/8 PER ANNUM.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd. (in conjunction with John H. Wise and Co.), will sell by auction, at the Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 13th DECEMBER, at 11.30 a.m.,

The above INVESTMENT PROPERTY, Surry Hills. Full particulars in a future issue. (181)

EASTWOOD AT STATION.

9 BUSINESS SITES
fronting
BLAXLAND-ROAD,
between the
SHOPS AND THE SCHOOL OF ARTS.

EACH 22 feet to Blaxland-road x 165 feet, close to the LEVEL CROSSING AT END OF STATION.

SEVEN COTTAGE SITES,
fronting
ROSE-STREET.

Comprising portions of DARVALL'S ESTATE.
Elevated position, good views.

Each 66 feet to Rose-street x 165 feet.

Torrens Title. Liberal Terms. Building Covenant.
Lithographs obtainable from the Auctioneers.

AUCTION SALE on the GROUND, 3 O'CLOCK,
NEXT SATURDAY,

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., AUCTIONEERS, 98 Pitt-street. (189)

AUCTION SALES.

ROSEVILLE-CHATSWOOD,

Six minutes from former, and eight from latter Station. Between Angle-road and Wyvern-avenue.

SUBDIVISION OF
PECKHAM RYE ESTATE,
Allotments on
GORDON-ROAD,
Continuation of WYVERN-AVENUE and Interior Streets.

All which have been formed to the satisfaction of the Local Council, and the contour of the Land has lent to a striking Subdivision. It is specially requested that Purchasers of Home Sites, Speculative Builders, and Buyers of Land for profit will inspect the Estate Plan in hand, for there are many beautiful sites in the interior portion, and not seen except on the spot.

OWNER offers it CHEAPLY to QUIT.
☞ INSPECT.
TITLE IS TORRENS ACT.

TERMS: 10 per cent. deposit, balance monthly payments over 5 years, at 5 per cent. Easy Building Covenant.

Attractive SITES, with large frontages and depths. All Roads are formed and metalled. Water and Gas to be laid on the Estate at once.

LITHOGRAPHS NOW READY.
AUCTION SALE on the GROUND,
NEXT SATURDAY, AT 3 O'CLOCK,
In Conjunction with
MESSRS. CHAPMAN AND HAZLEWOOD.
RICHARDSON AND WRENCH, LTD. ([illegible])

TO SHOPKEEPERS, BUILDERS, CAPITALISTS, AND OTHERS.

1. TEN BUSINESS SITES

AT THE CORNER OF
CANTERBURY-ROAD and AUDLEY-STREET.
Two Busy Thoroughfares at
PETERSHAM. PETERSHAM.

Only a short distance from Railway Station.

Frontages range from 19 feet to 21 feet 4½in, with depths of 100 feet to 108 feet, extending to right-of-way 10 feet wide. No. 10 Lot is at the corner of Chester-street.

In Lots to Suit Purchasers.

*** Splendid Lots on which to erect SHOPS and DWELLINGS.

2. CHESTER-STREET, CLOSE TO ABOVE.

GOOD BLOCK OF BUILDING LAND, having 77 feet 7in frontage to CHESTER-STREET, depth 131 feet on one side and 154 feet on the other, width at rear 82 feet.

*** TERMS.—10 per cent. Deposit, Balance by Twelve Quarterly Payments, Interest 5 per cent. per annum.

TORRENS TITLE.

LITHOS. OBTAINABLE AT THE ROOMS.

AUCTION SALE, ON THE GROUND,
AT 3 P.M.
NEXT SATURDAY
BY
RICHARDSON AND WRENCH, LTD.

ROSEVILLE-CHATSWOOD, only eight minutes from either station.

PECKHAM RYE ESTATE.

ALLOTMENTS, GORDON-ROAD, WYVERN-AVENUE, AND INTERIOR STREETS.

THE OWNER intends to sell cheap to quit the Estate. TORRENS TITLE. Terms over 5 years, at 5 per cent. per annum.

WELL MADE ROADS, GOOD VIEWS, SPLENDID LOTS.
LITHOS.
ON THE GROUND, 3 P.M.,
NEXT SATURDAY.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., in conjunction with CHAPMAN and HAZLEWOOD, King-street.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

MEADOWBANK.

9 ACRES 1 ROOD 21 PERCHES of LAND, having about 792ft frontage to CONSTITUTION-ROAD, a very large frontage to Charity Creek, and about 50ft to a Reserve along Parramatta River. On it are erected:—

A Modern COTTAGE, BURENDONG, of brick, tile roof, and containing verandahs on 3 sides, 9 rooms, kitchen, etc.

Brick Nogged COTTAGE, verandah, hall, 6 rooms, and outbuildings.

*** Situate only five minutes' walk from Meadowbank Railway Station, and close to good properties. Part of the area could be subdivided into Villa Sites.

TORRENS TITLE.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will Sell by Auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 13th December, at 11.30 a.m.,

The above large Property, in an advancing suburb. (168)

BY ORDER OF THE EXECUTORS OF THE ESTATE LATE W. H. CAVILL.

BALMAIN PROPERTIES.

Lot 1.—LARGE HOUSE and LAND, at the CORNER of EVANS, HENRY, and GEORGE STREETS. The Dwelling is No. 42 Evans-street. The frontages of the Land are 104 feet to Evans-street, 212 feet along Henry-street, and 122 feet to George-street, the other side line being 188 feet.

Lot 2.—Stone-built COTTAGE, No. 58 EVANS-STREET, on land having 44ft 3in frontage to Evans-street, depth 114ft to 117ft 8in, rear line being 37ft 11in.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, FRIDAY, 13th DECEMBER, at 11.30 a.m.,

The above. Full particulars in future advertisements.

F. H. KING, Esq., is Solicitor of the Estate. (178)

LEWISHAM-PETERSHAM.

TWO COMMODIOUS HOUSES, of brick, Nos. 25 and 27 WEST-STREET, "Bilerry" and "Semstead," painted, on stone foundation, slate roof, each verandah and balcony front and rear, containing hall, six apartments, bathroom, kitchen, laundry, and outer sheds.

THE LAND is spacious, 106ft 8in frontage to WEST-STREET, 205ft along the Railway property fence (main line); other side line 238ft 1½in, width at rear 180ft, with an additional frontage to SEAHL-STREET, via Petersham Station.

Situation is between Petersham and Lewisham Stations, north side of Railway, which is one of the boundaries. A large part of the land is vacant, and could be utilised for several purposes. Plan on view at Rooms.

TO BUILDERS, MANUFACTURERS, and OTHERS.

Estate of the late Mr. George Davis.

Solicitors to Estate are Messrs. Laurence, Son, and McDonald, 64 Pitt-street.

AUCTION SALE FRIDAY, 13th DECEMBER,
at our Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m.

RICHARDSON AND WRENCH, LTD. (186)

By Order of the Executors Estate Late ELIZA MUDIE.

FOREST LODGE.

1. A Two-story HOUSE, No. 243 BRIDGE-ROAD, a short distance west of Ross-street. Land, 16ft 2in x 117ft, back to FOSS-STREET. RENTAL, £52 PER ANNUM.

2. An ALLOTMENT of LAND, having 16ft frontage to BRIDGE-ROAD (adjoining the above), with a depth of 117 feet back to FOSS-STREET, together with a W.B. HOUSE, No. 2 Foss-street, thereon. The Bridge-road frontage is a Vacant Site.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd. (in conjunction with R. W. STONE, Forest Lodge), will sell by auction, at the Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 13th DECEMBER, at 11.30 a.m.,

The above Properties at Forest Lodge. Full particulars in a future issue. Torrens Title. (179)

ON ACCOUNT OF RISK OF FORMER PURCHASER.

GORDON—North Sydney Railway Line.

BLOCK OF LAND, having 157 feet frontage to ROSEDALE-STREET, depth 297ft to 366ft feet, width at rear 317ft. Mount William-street abuts on last mentioned line.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, FRIDAY, 13th DECEMBER, at 11.30 a.m.,

The above-described Land at Gordon. Torrens Title.

R. E. BEGG, Esq., is Solicitor of Owner. (175)

By Order of EXECUTORS of Deceased Estate.

DATCHETT-STREET, BALMAIN.

BLOCK OF LAND, being Lots 38, 39, 40, and 46 of Subdivision, in all 75ft frontage to the west side of DATCHETT-STREET, with a depth of 56 feet.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, FRIDAY, 13th DECEMBER, at 11.30 a.m.,

The above-described Land at Balmain, near Darling-street.

Messrs. DEANE and DEANE are Solicitors of the Estate. (174)

REDFERN FREEHOLD.—Brick-built HOUSE, No. 25 EDWARD-STREET, on land 20 feet frontage by 95 feet, extending to a lane. Workshop in yard. Sewer, water, and gas connections.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, FRIDAY, 13th DECEMBER, at 11.30 a.m.,

The above. Full particulars in future advertisements. (173)

ST. PETERS.

Between Sydenham Railway Station and Tram.

Double-fronted Brick COTTAGE, No. 54 SUTHERLAND-STREET, erected on land 30½ft frontage, with a depth of 105 feet. Sewer, gas, and water connections. TORRENS.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, FRIDAY, 13th DECEMBER, at 11.30 a.m.,

The above. Full particulars again. (172)

REDFERN,

Between the Abercrombie-street Trams and Redfern Station.

A TWO-STORY HOUSE, No. 132 EVELEIGH-STREET, close to the Government workshops. Land — ft x 85 feet. Torrens Title. RENTAL, £58/10/ PER ANNUM.

Auction Sale at the Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 13th DECEMBER, at 11.30 a.m.

RICHARDSON AND WRENCH, LTD. (185)

AUCTION SALES.

KENSINGTON,

CORNER BLOCK of LAND, part of portion 1213, having frontages of 57 feet 3 inches to BUNNERONG-ROAD (tram line), and 120 feet 6½ inches to BARKER-STREET, other side line 115 feet, width at rear, 22 feet 2½ inches.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 13th DECEMBER, at 11.30 a.m.,

The above Land.

Messrs. BOYCE and MAGNEY, Solicitors for owner. (177)

CITY, NEAR HYDE PARK.

A TWO-STORY HOUSE, No. 185 COMMONWEALTH-STREET, opposite Ann-street, between Reservoir and Albion streets. Land, 11ft 11in x 80ft, back to a lane. Auction Sale, at the Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 13th DECEMBER, at 11.30 a.m.

RICHARDSON AND WRENCH, LTD. (180)

FOR ABSOLUTE SALE.

Attractive and most faithfully-erected Family Residence "Creswell Hall,"
EASTERN-AVENUE, KENSINGTON,
between Abbotsford and Carlton streets, and not far beyond Alison-road.

It is of brick, tuckpointed front, verandah tiled, wide hall, 9 rooms, pantry, bathroom, kitchen, scullery, pantries, laundry, tool or box room, and other conveniences. Land, 60 feet frontage x 143 feet, and with full benefit of rear right-of-way, 9½ft wide, out of Carlton-street.

The tram route is past the door on this Boulevard; neighbourhood is essentially residential, and here is a home of neat appearance, fairly commodious, and full of comfort. TORRENS TITLE.

AUCTION SALE, FRIDAY, 13th DECEMBER,
at our Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, at 11.30.

RICHARDSON AND WRENCH, LTD. (183)

FRESHWATER.

The Celebrated Suburb, just beyond Manly, Close to Public School.

SUBDIVISION OF

PRIMROSE ESTATE,

INTO 84 ALLOTMENTS,
Facing OLIVER-STREET, Wyuna and Wyndora avenues.

EACH 40 FEET FRONTAGES.
DEPTHS OF 138 FEET BACK TO A LANE.

*** THESE LANDS, by reason of their close proximity to TRAM and SURF, must enhance in value. THEREFORE intending purchasers should not fail to inspect early and make THEIR SELECTION.

From the Estate are obtained extensive views of the Coast and the Intervening Country, and the position would make an ideal spot to erect WEEK-END CAMPS or Permanent Residences on.

NOTE THE EASY TERMS: 10 per cent. deposit, and the balance by 36 monthly payments, 5 per cent. per annum.

TITLE TORRENS ACT.

THE AUCTION ON THE GROUND at 3 o'clock,
SATURDAY, DECEMBER 14.

LITHOS OBTAINABLE AT THE ROOMS.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, LTD., in conjunction with DAVIS and CO., P.O.-chbrs. W. C. CLEGG, Union Bank-chambers, is Solicitor to the Estate. (155)

By Order of the Exors. Estate late FREDERICK HODGE.

1.—REDFERN.

TWO two-story HOUSES, Nos. 23 and 25 ELIZABETH-STREET, a few yards south of Cleveland-street. Land, 25ft x 75ft, back to a right-of-way. Title Leasehold, 38 years to run. Ground Rental, £8 per ann.

RENTAL, £59 16s PER ANNUM.

2.—DULWICH HILL.

A Capital BUILDING SITE, having 68ft 6in frontage to the CANTERBURY (NEW) ROAD, close to Pigott-street, with a depth of 28?ft on one side, and 270ft on the other. Situate within 200yds of the Dulwich Hill and Addison-road tram Terminus, and adjoining Digby, the residence of J. C. Anderson, Esq.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 20th DECEMBER, at 11.30 a.m.,

The above Property. Full particulars in a future issue.

Messrs. ROBSON and COWLISHAW, 164 Pitt-street, Solicitors to the Estate. (184)

CIRCULAR QUAY,

and extending through to Macquarie-street,
61 feet 9in CIRCULAR QUAY,
60 feet to MACQUARIE-STREET.
Depth through 40 feet 2 inches.

A Capital Site for free stores or business house, double-frontage, and fulness of light; with ample receiving and delivering facilities. TORRENS TITLE. Adjoining the large warehouse and Rich and Co., Ltd.

AUCTION SALE, FRIDAY, 20th DECEMBER,
at our Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, at 11.30.

RICHARDSON AND WRENCH, LTD. (182)

NEXT SATURDAY, AT 3.

CRONULLA HEIGHTS ESTATE,

CRONULLA.

ABSOLUTELY THE HIGHEST POINT IN CRONULLA.

PERMANENT VIEWS OF OCEAN,

CLOSE TO GUNNAMATTA BAY,

With Tram Stop on the Estate,

and only a few minutes from the surf.

25 OF THE PICKED SITES IN CRONULLA,

Liberal Areas, and fronting

KURRANULLA BEACH-ROAD, FRANKLIN-ROAD,

AND GREEN-STREET.

AUCTION SALE, ON THE GROUND,

NEXT SATURDAY, 7th DEC., at 3 p.m.

TERMS, £2 per Lot Deposit, and Balance 60 Monthly Payments, at 5 p.c.

TITLE TORRENS.

HUGH DUFF AND CO.,
AUCTIONEERS, 283 George-street (in conjunction with C. J. Munro, Cronulla).

BY THE SEASIDE.

BRONTE.

BRONTE ESTATE, BRONTE ESTATE,
9 CHOICE RESIDENTIAL SITES (50 x 120).
Lots 50 x 120.
Tram to the Estate.

Fronting ST. THOMAS-STREET, overlooking BRONTE BEACH, with view of the PACIFIC OCEAN that can never be built out.

AUCTION SALE, ON THE GROUND,
SATURDAY, 14th DECEMBER,
at 3 o'clock.
TERMS EASY. TITLE TORRENS.

Plans from HUGH DUFF and CO., AUCTIONEERS, 283 George-street, in conjunction with J. B. ELLIS, of Randwick.

BRISBANE CITY PROPERTY.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1912,
AT CITY MART, EDWARD-STREET.
IMPORTANT IMPROVED QUEEN-STREET BLOCK, DIRECTLY OPPOSITE THE GENERAL POST OFFICE, AND OCCUPIED BY D. MACKAY, Esq.
Under instructions from the
TRUSTEES OF THE LATE J. P. SMITH.

THE LAND is described as part of Allot. 6 of Section 29, and contains 7½ perches, more or less, and has a frontage of 15ft 7in, or thereabouts, to Queen-street, by a depth of 137ft to a right-of-way at rear, giving access to Foundary-lane, thence to Adelaide-street.

IMPROVEMENTS consist of two-storied Brick and Cement Building, fronting Queen-street, with g. iron Workshop at rear. Owners have right of use as a party wall of the 3-story brick wall on the south-west side.

Full particulars of title, etc., on application.

This Property affords a unique opportunity to Business Men, Investors, and Speculators, surrounded as it is by the Commonwealth Bank, G.P.O., and General Banking Institutions.

P. W. COLLINS, LIMITED,
AUCTIONEERS,
CITY-BUILDINGS, EDWARD-STREET, BRISBANE.

CRONULLA, BEAUTIFUL CRONULLA.

THE GLAISHER POINT ESTATE.

The most charming point of Land ever offered to the Public in Subdivision form at this delightful marine resort. The majority of the lots face the water and the 100 feet reservation. The land is gently sloping to the water, and here every purchaser may have the opportunity of having his own Sea-baths.

AUCTION SALE ON THE LAND,

WAIT FOR THIS SALE,

BOXING DAY, DECEMBER 26, 1912,

AT 2.30 P.M.

TORRENS TITLE. EASY TERMS.

H. W. HORNING AND CO., AUCTIONEERS, 131 Pitt-street, Sydney.

C. MONRO, Local Representative, Cronulla.

DALRYMPLE and BLAIN, Solicitors to the Estate, Bond and Pitt streets, Sydney.

AUCTION SALES.

ORDER OF SALE,
SUBURBAN AND COUNTRY PROPERTIES.

AUCTION SALE IN THE ROOMS,

TO-MORROW (THURSDAY), 5th DECEMBER, 1912,
AT 11.30 A.M.

NORTH SYDNEY.—206 Walker-street, detached brick Residence, 6 rooms, all conveniences. Land, 30 x 116. Seven minutes from ferry. Torrens Title.

WOOLLAHRA.—89 Queen-street, brick Dwelling, 6 rooms and all conveniences. Land, 20ft to Queen-street by a depth of 137ft 6in through to James-street.

GRANVILLE.—Four Lots, with frontage of 100ft to Constance-street, 100ft to Cleone-street, and through depth of 366ft. Torrens Title.

CAMPERDOWN.—Church-street, No. 188, 2-story brick House, 4 rooms, kitchen, etc. Rent, 15s. Land, 16 x 86. Torrens Title.

CAMPERDOWN.—Church-street, Vacant Land, 36ft by a depth of 63ft 6in along a lane. Torrens Title.

CAMPERDOWN.—Church-street, Vacant Land, 25ft by 70ft. Title Freehold.

MOSMAN.—Muston-street, Karuah, brick Villa Residence, 6 rooms, all conveniences, beautifully situated, overlooking Middle Harbour. Land, 69 x 132. Rear width, 114ft. Torrens.

THIRLMERE.—Parish Couridjah, portion 51, 80 acres choice Land, well timbered, good soil, well watered. Only 1½ miles from Thirlmere Railway Station.

H. W. HORNING AND CO.,
Auctioneers, 131 Pitt-street, Sydney.

GLADESVILLE—TENNYSON.

THE MOOREVIEW ESTATE.

Right on the elevated heights of this beautiful suburb, and commanding glorious panoramic views of the beautiful Parramatta River, and the distant Blue Mountain Ranges. The Estate is surrounded by Orange Groves, Orchards, and the beautiful gardens, for which this district is so famous. The Estate comprises 56 Sites of very liberal areas; some have depths of 300 feet. The tram passes the land. Frontages to Great North-road, Tennyson-road, Way and Barlow Avenues.

EASY TERMS—OVER FIVE YEARS' REPAYMENTS.
TORRENS TITLE.

AUCTION SALE, ON THE LAND,

NEXT SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1912,

AT 3 P.M.

H. W. HORNING AND CO., AUCTIONEERS, 131 Pitt-street, Sydney; J. J. DAKIN, Local Agent, Gladesville. Messrs. DIBBS, PARKER, and PARKER, Eldon-chambers, Pitt-street, Sydney, are Vendor's Solicitors.

STRATHFIELD.

THE MINTARO ESTATE.

Known as BROWN'S PADDOCK, at the intersection of LIVERPOOL-ROAD and BOULEVARD.

A Charming Subdivision of 41 CHOICE VILLA SITES, beautifully situated in the midst of good surroundings, and in one of the best positions in this popular suburb. The main lots front the tramline. The sites are all of liberal areas, and well drained. The aspect for building purposes is the best, and the views are extensive. Land almost adjoins the Golf Links.

TORRENS TITLE.

EASY TERMS.

AUCTION SALE, ON THE LAND,

SATURDAY, 14th DECEMBER, 1912,

AT 3 P.M.

H. W. HORNING AND CO., Auctioneers, 131 Pitt-street, Sydney.

G. W. PHILLIPS, Equitable-buildings, George-street, Sydney, Solicitor to the Estate.

PLANS FORWARDED TO ANY ADDRESS.

SUTHERLAND.

KALOOLA ESTATE.

16 SPLENDID BUILDING SITES, with frontages to the main tram road, Acacia-road, and Hawthorne-road, in an elevated position, the absolute pick of this locality.

AUCTION SALE ON THE LAND,
SATURDAY, 14th DECEMBER, 1912,
AT 3 P.M.

TORRENS TITLE. EASY TERMS.

H. W. HORNING and CO., Auctioneers, 131 Pitt-street, Sydney.
Mr. J. THOMPSON, Citizen-chambers, Moore-street, is acting for the Vendors.

KATOOMBA,

THE BLUE MOUNTAIN CITY,

THE MAGNIFICENT SUNNYSIDE ESTATE.

This fine subdivision comprises 100 allotments of liberal areas in one of those fine positions overlooking the Gorge and the distant mountain crags, valleys, and glens of this famous Mountain district. The Estate is surrounded by good dwellings, and it is only 10 minutes from the railway, and only a few minutes from the beautiful Katoomba and Leura Falls.

TORRENS TITLE.

EASY TERMS.

AUCTION SALE, ON THE LAND,

BOXING DAY, 26th DECEMBER, 1912.

AT 2.30 P.M.

REFRESHMENTS PROVIDED.

H. W. HORNING AND CO., Auctioneers, 131 Pitt-street, Sydney.

MACKENZIE and LAWRIE, Local Agents, Katoomba.

Messrs. MACGREGOR and PALMER, Solicitors to the Estate, 131 Pitt-street, Sydney.

PLANS AND BOOKLETS SENT TO ANY ADDRESS.

FRESHWATER.

"THE SEA HATH ITS PEARLS."

This magnificent Estate practically comprises the whole, but certainly the pick of this favoured and charming seaside resort. A number of the lots have beach frontages, and the residential and business sites are in the pick position. Freshwater is famed for its safe surf bathing beach. The land is right opposite the beach. The kiosk will also be sold. This is a rusticated weatherboard building of six apartments and large wide sleeping-out verandahs. This building is practically the front entrance to Freshwater.

AUCTION SALE, ON THE LAND,

SATURDAY, 21st DECEMBER, 1912,

AT 3 P.M.

Prospective purchasers are advised to attend this sale, as an opportunity will occur in which may be purchased some of the best land in Freshwater.

TORRENS TITLE. EASY TERMS.

H. W. HORNING AND CO., Auctioneers, 131 Pitt-street, Sydney.

LUMSDAINE, CARTER, and CO., Local Agents, at Freshwater and Manly.

PLANS AND BOOKLETS FORWARDED TO ANY ADDRESS ON APPLICATION TO THE AGENTS.

CRONULLA.

THE WILSHIRE ESTATE.

So well known to the public that it does not need recommendation. The situation is in the very centre of the Peninsula, bounded by the Ocean on one side and Gunnamatta Bay on the other side. The views are exceptionally fine. The sites are beautifully level, and of liberal areas, well drained, and inexpensive sites for building.

AUCTION SALE ON THE LAND

NEW YEAR'S DAY,

AT 2.30 P.M.

EASY TERMS. TORRENS TITLE.

H. W. HORNING AND CO., Auctioneers, 131 Pitt-street, Sydney.
C. MONRO, Local Agent, Cronulla.

AUCTION SALES.

ORDER OF SALE,

VARIOUS FREEHOLD PROPERTIES,
to be offered
FOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION,
in the Rooms, 86 Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m.,
TO-MORROW, THURSDAY,
5th DECEMBER.

NORTH SYDNEY.—KIRRIBILLI POINT.—A Modern Water-frontage Residence, known as "MALAHIDE", in ELAMANG-AVENUE, surrounded by good properties. TORRENS.

BALMAIN.—A VALUABLE WATER-FRONTAGE BLOCK known as No. 11 WESTON-STREET, near Darling-street Ferry. Trustees' Sale.

BALMAIN.—A FINE RESIDENTIAL BLOCK in DARVALL-STREET, off Darling-street, opposite Gladstone Park. TORRENS. Trustees' Sale.

BALMAIN.—A CAPITAL BUILDING SITE in THAMES STREET, about one minute from Mort's Dock Ferry, near Darling-street. TORRENS. Trustees' Sale.

BOTANY.—A SUPERIOR COTTAGE RESIDENCE, at the corner of MARGATE-STREET and TENTERDEN-STREET, just off the tram. TORRENS.

WATSON'S BAY.—In SALISBURY-STREET, overlooking the Harbour.—A Fine Rusticated Weatherboard Cottage, known as SURBITON, with stables, etc.

DOUBLE BAY.—A SPLENDID BUILDING SITE, having a frontage to MANNING-ROAD of about 72 feet by a depth of 200 feet, overlooking N.S.W. Tennis Association's grounds.

ROOKWOOD.—In VAUGHAN-STREET, near Railway Station.—A Weatherboard Cottage known as FALMOUTH. TORRENS.

ROSE BAY.—PRACTICALLY A WATER FRONTAGE, with uninterrupted views to Manly.—Lot 4, Rose Bay Lodge Estate, 56 feet to NEW SOUTH HEAD-ROAD. TORRENS.

LILYFIELD.—Fronting the tramline, near Booth-street. NO. 2 MOORE-STREET.—Land, 24ft by 100ft. Curator's Sale.

COMO.—GEORGE'S RIVER.—WATER FRONTAGE, opposite OATLEY BAY, with NEW WEATHERBOARD COTTAGE, jetty, and improvements.

COMO.—A GOOD RESIDENTIAL SITE, about one acre, with 111 feet frontage to GEORGE'S RIVER.

ST. PETERS.—In UNWIN'S BRIDGE-ROAD, between Frederick-street and Sutherland-street.—A GOOD BUILDING BLOCK, 60ft by 130ft. TORRENS.

LITTLE COOGEE.—A GOOD RESIDENTIAL SITE IN FREDERICK-STREET, late Fewings-street, 40ft by 125ft. Curator's Sale. TORRENS.

OURIMBAH, GOSFORD DISTRICT.—THREE FARMS, 90 acres, 30 acres, and 15 acres respectively, rich virgin soil, near railway station.

RAINE AND HORNE,
AUCTIONEERS.

A BEAUTIFUL KIRRIBILLI POINT HOME.

NORTH SYDNEY.

SYDNEY HARBOUR FRONTAGE, DEEP WATER.

RAINE and HORNE, Pitt-street, Sydney, in conjunction with TREBECK, SON, and CO., 12 O'Connell-street, Sydney, have received instructions from Captain Henderson to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, on

THURSDAY, 5th DECEMBER, 1912,

AT 11.30 A.M.,

AT MESSRS. RAINE and HORNE'S ROOMS,
86 PITT-STREET,

The "MALAHIDE" Property,

close to Royal Sydney Yacht Squadron's Club House, Elamang-avenue.

The HOUSE is recently built. Modern House, with 5 bedrooms, dining, drawing rooms, library, etc., bath rooms, servants' quarters, and every modern convenience, brick on stone formation, with very prettily laid-out grounds and gardens. Perfect situation in summer or winter. Ample ground (viz., 50 feet) alongside house to enlarge same if required. Land has a frontage to Careening Cove of 160 feet by a depth of 147 feet to 189 feet through to Elamang-avenue, to which it has a frontage of 150 feet.

HOUSE and GROUNDS IN FIRST-CLASS ORDER.

INSPECTION STRONGLY RECOMMENDED, AS THE PROPERTY IS FOR SALE.

TORRENS TITLE. LIBERAL TERMS.

For Cards to View apply to either of Selling Agents.

WATSON'S BAY,

In SALISBURY-STREET, overlooking the Harbour, and close to Ferry, Tram, and Baths.
SURBITON,
A FINE RUSTICATED WEATHERBOARD COTTAGE,

On brick foundation, 9ft verandah in front, and containing hall (6ft wide), drawing and dining rooms, connected by folding doors, 4 bedrooms, bathroom, with heater, kitchen, 2 pantries, and laundry. At the rear is a porch glassed in, with tiled floor, suitable for a breakfast-room. The interior walls and ceilings are of lath and plaster, and the mantels are of solid marble.

AT THE REAR ARE MAN'S ROOM, STABLES, FOWL RUN, ETC.

LET AT 30s PER WEEK.

THE LAND has a frontage of about 60ft to SALISBURY-STREET, by a depth of about 250ft.

RAINE and HORNE will sell the above by PUBLIC AUCTION, in the Rooms, 86 Pitt-st, TO-MORROW, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 5, 1912, at 11.30 a.m. (267)

OWNER LEFT THE STATE.

BOTANY.

SUPERIOR COTTAGE RESIDENCE,
Corner of MARGATE and TENTERDEN STREETS,
JUST OFF THE TRAM.

LOTS 1 and 2, Sec. 23, SANDGATE ESTATE. NEAT W.B. COTTAGE, wide verandah, hall, 5 good rooms, kitchen, laundry, and bath, etc.; lath and plastered, and in good order.

Land 100ft x 152ft.
Rent 17s 6d Weekly. TORRENS TITLE.

RAINE and HORNE will sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, in the Rooms, 86 Pitt-st, TO-MORROW, THURSDAY, 5th DECEMBER, 1912, at 11.30 a.m.

CHATSWOOD SOUTH,

CARR'S GRANT ESTATE,

AT THE CORNER OF LONGUEVILLE-ROAD AND GORDON-ROAD,
ON THE LONGUEVILLE TRAMLINE.

40 LARGE TOWNSHIP BLOCKS, with frontages to LONGUEVILLE-ROAD, MAFEKING, KIMBERLEY, and GATACRE AVENUES.

THE ESTATE IS ELEVATED, being 300 FEET ABOVE SEA LEVEL, AND HAS EXCEEDINGLY FINE VIEWS, OVERLOOKING PARRAMATTA RIVER, BALMAIN, ETC.

About half a mile south-west of Artarmon Station.

CITY WATER AND GAS.

TORRENS TITLE.

☞ TERMS:—£5 per lot deposit, and the balance by £1 per lot per month. Interest, 6 per cent.

FOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION,

ON THE GROUND,

NEXT SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1912,

AT 3 P.M.

RAINE AND HORNE, AUCTIONEERS. (273)

CONCORD.

WALKER ESTATE, Nos. 3 and 4.

NO. 4.
PRACTICALLY ADJOINING CONCORD WEST RAILWAY STATION,

With a frontage to the RAILWAY LINE and MAIN CONCORD ROAD.
THE ROADS ARE ALL PROPERLY FORMED AND BALLASTED.

ELEVATED LAND.

PARKLIKE, GRASSED, IDEAL BUILDING SITES, WITH EXTENSIVE OUTLOOK AND PICTURESQUE SURROUNDINGS.

THE PICK OF THIS GO-AHEAD DISTRICT, CONCORD, with its many modern factory works, is certain to become A MOST PROSPEROUS CENTRE.

BEAUTIFUL RESIDENTIAL SLOPES,
RIGHT AGAINST THE STATION.

No. 3.
GOLF LINKS SUBDIVISION.

A SPECIALLY-DESIGNED SUBDIVISION FOR A SUPERIOR CLASS OF RESIDENCE.
ALLOTMENTS 60 x 200.
IMMEDIATELY OPPOSITE THE GOLF LINKS. FRONTAGES to the MAIN CONCORD-ROAD and the GOLF LINKS-ROAD.
EASTERLY ASPECT. ATTRACTIVE SITUATION.

TORRENS TITLE.

Five years' terms.

FOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION,
ON THE GROUND

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1912,

No. 4 at 3 p.m. No. 3 at 4 p.m.

RAINE AND HORNE,
AUCTIONEERS.

Solicitors to the Estate: Messrs. PERKINS and MACANSH. (277)

AUCTION SALES.

NEUTRAL BAY.

COOPER FREEHOLDS.

FOUR CHOICE BUSINESS OR RESIDENTIAL SITES,

ON THE MILITARY-ROAD, BETWEEN HAMPDEN-AVENUE AND MURDOCH-STREET, A FEW YARDS FROM THE JUNCTION OF THE NEUTRAL BAY AND MILSON'S POINT TRAMS, QUITE CLOSE TO THE COMMERCIAL BANK PREMISES AT THE CORNER OF WATERS-ROAD AND THE POST-OFFICE.

Three of the Allotments each have a frontage of about 30 feet by a depth of about 150 feet, and one allotment has a frontage of about 66 feet by a depth of about 180 feet.

FOUR SPLENDID SITES,
SITUATE BETWEEN THE CREMORNE AND NEUTRAL BAY TRAMS, WITH THE NORTH SYDNEY TRAM PASSING THE LAND.

Title: COOPER FREEHOLD.

FOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION,
ON THE GROUND,
NEXT SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1912,
AT 3 P.M.

RAINE AND HORNE, AUCTIONEERS. (266)

CITY COUNCIL FREEHOLDS,

CAMPERDOWN,

ON THE PARRAMATTA-ROAD, CORNER OF MISSENDEN-ROAD.

A Subdivision, comprising
25 ALLOTMENTS,

ALL EXCELLENT BUILDING SITES,

with frontages of from 18ft to 20ft each, and depths ranging up to 140ft. THE LIBERAL DEPTHS PERMIT OF FACTORIES BEING ERECTED ON THE LAND, WITH GOOD SHOW WINDOWS ON THE ROAD FRONTAGE.

PARRAMATTA-ROAD, a continuation of GEORGE-STREET WEST, HAS BEEN WIDENED TO 90FT, AND HAS BEEN WOODBLOCKED UP TO THE ESTATE, THUS BRINGING THE LAND IN CLOSE TOUCH WITH THE CENTRE OF THE CITY. THE MOST CONVENIENT LAND TO THE CITY AVAILABLE AT THE PRESENT TIME.

EMINENTLY SUITABLE FOR BUSINESS, FACTORY, OR STORE SITES.

TORRENS TITLE. EASY TERMS.

Lithos. upon Application to the Auctioneers.

AUCTION SALE ON THE GROUND,

SATURDAY, 14th DECEMBER, 1912,
AT 3 P.M.

RAINE AND HORNE, RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., Auctioneers in conjunction.
THOMAS H. NESBITT, Town Clerk. (276)
P. S. DAWSON, City Solicitor.

PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT.

ROSEMONT ESTATE,

SUBDIVISION

FRONTING ROSEMONT-AVENUE,

OFF THE EDGECLIFF-ROAD.

ELEVEN FINE RESIDENTIAL SITES, well elevated, and surrounded by some of Sydney's finest homes, viz., MERIOOLA, ELYSTAN, ROSEMONT, QUAMBI, and HILLSIDE.

THE LAND is to be Offered FOR SALE by PUBLIC AUCTION,

at the ROOMS, 86 PITT-STREET,

on THURSDAY, 19th DECEMBER, 1912, AT 11.30 A.M.

PLANS IN COURSE OF PREPARATION.

FREEHOLD TITLE.

RAINE AND HORNE,
86 PITT-STREET,
IN CONJUNCTION WITH
MARSHALL AND DEMPSTER,
PITT-STREET, OPP. G.P.O.

Messrs. ALLEN, ALLEN, and HEMSLEY, VENDOR'S SOLICITORS.

BY ORDER OF THE TRUSTEES IN THE ESTATE OF THE LATE SIR DANIEL COOPER, 2nd Baronet.

CITY,

IMPORTANT SALE OF CITY PROPERTY,

IN THE HEART OF THE CITY,

THAT FINE PROPERTY, occupied by

"THE EVENING NEWS"

and

"TOWN AND COUNTRY JOURNAL,"

In MARKET-STREET, BETWEEN GEORGE-STREET AND PITT-STREET.

THE LAND has a frontage of about 80 feet 1 inch to the Southern side of MARKET-STREET, by a depth of about 193 feet, WITH RIGHTS-OF-WAY ON EACH SIDE, GIVING AMPLE LIGHT AND ACCESS TO ALL PARTS OF THE BUILDING.

The Building is substantially constructed of Brick, Cemented and Painted, comprising Basement, Ground Floor, and Three Upper Floors.

THE PROPERTY IS LET ON LEASE FOR 22 YEARS AND SIX MONTHS FROM 1st OCTOBER, 1903, thus having 13 years to run, at a Rental of £1750 PER ANNUM,

the Lease containing Covenants that the Tenant will pay all rates and taxes and insurance, and keep the property in a thorough state of repair during the whole of the term, and to paint and colour externally and internally the whole of the premises within three months of the expiry of the lease.

The Lease and Plan of the Property can be inspected at the offices of the Auctioneers.

TORRENS TITLE.

RAINE AND HORNE
will sell the above
CENTRAL CITY PROPERTY

by PUBLIC AUCTION, in the Rooms, on THURSDAY, 19th DECEMBER, 1912, at 11.30 a.m.
Solicitors to the Estate: (284)
Messrs. ICETON, FAITHFULL, and MADDOCK.

ASHFIELD.

IN HOLDEN-STREET, BETWEEN ARTHUR-STREET AND PARK AVENUE,

ONE OF THE CHOICEST RESIDENTIAL POSITIONS IN ASHFIELD,

SURROUNDED BY FIRST-CLASS PROPERTIES, AND WITHIN EASY WALKING DISTANCE OF THE RAILWAY STATION,

THAT ATTRACTIVE AND COMMODIOUS FAMILY RESIDENCE,

"THE GRANGE,"

faithfully and solidly built of brick, cemented and painted, on stone, slate roof, verandah front and side, balcony at side, and containing wide entrance hall, 4 reception rooms, 5 large bedrooms, bathroom, 2 maids' rooms, maids' bathroom, 2 pantries, kitchen and laundry, and detached room of weatherboard, stabling of 6 stalls, etc.

THE LAND, which has an area of about 3¼ ACRES, has a frontage of about 387 feet to HOLDEN-STREET, by a depth of about 300 feet, the rear line being about 400 feet.

THE GROUNDS ARE LAID OUT IN FLOWER AND VEGETABLE GARDENS, FRUIT TREES, AND TENNIS COURT.

RAINE and HORNE will sell the above by PUBLIC AUCTION, in the Rooms, 86 Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, 19th DECEMBER, 1912, at 11.30 a.m. (289)

AUCTION SALES.

CITY.

VALUABLE BLOCK OF CITY PROPERTY, RIGHT IN THE CENTRE OF THE CITY,

between Wynyard-street and Margaret-street,
CLOSE TO THE GENERAL POST-OFFICE, BANK OF NEW SOUTH WALES, COMMERCIAL BANK, AND OTHER LEADING FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS.
A Terrace of Four Shops,

NOS. 301, 303, 305, AND 307 GEORGE-STREET,

The Shops are built of brick on stone, and each contain Shop and 2 Floors above, with all conveniences. The shops are all let to excellent tenants. At the rear, and abutting on the above, is

NO. 14 WYNYARD-LANE.

STORE PREMISES built of brick and stone, and comprising ground and two upper floors. Let to Messrs. Moses Moss, and Co.

THE LAND has a frontage of about 49 feet 6 inches to the WESTERN SIDE OF GEORGE-STREET, by a depth of about 91 feet 3 inches through to WYNYARD-LANE at the rear, to which it has a frontage of about 49 feet 3 inches.

THIS IS AN EXCELLENT SITE FOR THE ERECTION OF UP-TO-DATE SHOPS, WITH SHOWROOMS AND OFFICE ACCOMMODATION, THE POSITION BEING
ONE OF THE BEST IN THE CITY.

RAINE and HORNE will sell the above by PUBLIC AUCTION, in the Rooms, 86 Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, 19th DECEMBER, at 11.30 a.m. (288)

BY ORDER OF THE TRUSTEES IN THE ESTATE OF THE LATE CAPTAIN JAMES BREMNER.

MILSON'S POINT, NORTH SYDNEY,

on the Corner of ALFRED and PITT STREETS, about 3 minutes of the Ferry Wharf.

No. 49 ALFRED-STREET.—A W.B. BUILDING, on brick, iron roof, awning in front, containing Shop and 3 rooms, etc.

No. 51 ALFRED-STREET.—SHOP and DWELLING, of W.B., awning in front, containing Shop, 4 rooms, kitchen, and laundry, etc.

Abutting on the rear of above is No. 3 PITT-STREET, a 2-STORY HOUSE, built of W.B. on stone, containing 4 rooms, kitchen, and laundry, etc. The Land has a frontage of about 50 feet to ALFRED-STREET, by a depth of about 100 feet along PITT-STREET to MILSON-STREET, at the rear to which it has a frontage of about 49 feet 6 inches.

Also,

IMMEDIATELY OPPOSITE the foregoing, on the Northern corner of Alfred and Pitt streets, are Nos. 55 and 55A ALFRED-STREET, a 3-story Brick Building, cemented and painted on stone, slate and iron roof, awning front and side, and containing 2 Shops and dwellings of 9 rooms, kitchen, etc. At the rear is a W.B. Building, known as No. 6 PITT-STREET.

The Land has a frontage of about 30 feet to ALFRED-STREET, by a depth of about 132 feet along PITT-STREET, through to a lane at the rear.

THESE PROPERTIES SHOULD APPEAL TO INVESTORS AND SPECULATORS, AS THEY OCCUPY A PICKED POSITION IN A BUSY SHOP CENTRE.

RAINE and HORNE will Sell the above by PUBLIC AUCTION, in the Rooms, 86 Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, 19th DECEMBER, 1912, at 11.30 a.m.
Solicitor to the Estate, J. B. Moffatt, Esq., 44 Elizabeth-street. (390)

BARRANJOEY.

PALM BEACH ESTATE,

PITTWATER.

SECOND SUBDIVISION.

THE ESTATE OCCUPIES AN ELEVATED AND PICKED POSITION, COMMANDING PANORAMIC VIEWS OVER

THE PACIFIC OCEAN AND PITTWATER HARBOUR.

The Lots to be offered have frontages to

FLORIDA-ROAD, SUNRISE-ROAD, AND THE RESERVE.

The latter are practically

OCEAN BEACH FRONTAGE LOTS.

PALM BEACH ESTATE OFFERS MANY COMFORTS AND LUXURIES, SUCH AS

CLEAR, BRACING AIR.
GLORIOUS HARBOUR AND OCEAN VIEWS.
SPLENDID HARBOUR AND OCEAN FISHING.
HARBOUR BATHS, and
SANDY HARBOUR BEACHES FOR THE CHILDREN.

Also,

A BEAUTIFUL AND EXTENSIVE OCEAN BEACH FOR SURF-BATHERS.

PAY A VISIT OF INSPECTION. IT IS WISE TO INVESTIGATE, AND THEN MAKE IT YOUR WEEK-END HOME BY SECURING A BLOCK IN THIS SECOND SUBDIVISION.

REMEMBER THAT THE WHOLE OF THE FIRST SUBDIVISION OF 90 LOTS WAS SOLD IN AS MANY MINUTES.

THERE IS NOTHING TO EQUAL PALM BEACH,

THE GREAT FAMILY RESORT,

WITH ITS MANY PRETTY, IDEAL SPOTS FOR THE HOLIDAY-MAKER, AWAY FROM THE HEAT, IN THE

STATELY PALMTREE GULLIES,

FOR WHICH THIS ESTATE IS FAMED,

WITH THEIR WEALTH OF PALMS AND FERNS.

THE ROADS ARE ALL FORMED, AND HAVE BEEN TAKEN OVER BY THE LOCAL SHIRE.

TORRENS TITLE. EASY TERMS.

A Subdivision of this Estate has been prepared, and will be offered

FOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION,

ON THE GROUND,

on

BOXING DAY, 26th DECEMBER, 1912.

AT 3 P.M.

RAINE AND HORNE,
AUCTIONEERS, 86 PITT-STREET.

Secretary to the Estate: E. E. G. DE GYULAY, Esq., Somerset House, 5 Moore-street, city. (292)

GREENHILLS, NO. 2,

NARRABEEN.

67 CHOICE BUILDING ALLOTMENTS,

OCCUPYING AN ELEVATED POSITION,

OVERLOOKING THE BEAUTIFUL

NARRABEEN LAKE AND BEACH.

The Lots have liberal frontages to

POWDER WORKS-ROAD, WARRABA-ROAD,

TAIYUL-ROAD, and KORADO-ROAD.

All 66 feet roads.

THE ESTATE IS ONLY A FEW YARDS FROM THE

LAKE AND THE MAIN ROAD,

WHERE THE TRAM IS SURVEYED TO RUN,

AND FIVE MINUTES' WALK OF THE BEACH.

NOTE THE TERMS:—£2 per Lot Deposit, and £1 per Lot per Month, with Interest at 5 per cent.

TORRENS TITLE.

THE BEST AND CHEAPEST LAND AT NARRABEEN.

SECURE A BLOCK, AND MAKE IT YOUR WEEK-END HOME.

AUCTION SALE ON THE GROUND

on

SATURDAY, DEC. 28, 1912, AT 3 P.M.

RAINE AND HORNE, ROBEY, HANSON, and STRONG, Ltd., Auctioneers in conjunction.

Lithos. on Application to the Auctioneers.

(297)

WAVERLEY.

TO-MORROW, THURSDAY,
AT 11 O'CLOCK A.M.,
on the Premises,
URANA, BIRRELL-STREET (close Newland-street).

ABSOLUTELY UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION
of
SUPERIOR MODERN HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE
AND EFFECTS,
comprising:—

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Colley, D. J. K.	1 1 0	
Commercial Union Assurance Co., Ltd.	2 2 0	
Connell, John, and Co. Proprietary, Ltd.	3 3 0	
G. Creighton Smith and Braund	1 1 0	
Sir William P. Cullen, Chief Justice	2 2 0	
Drake, D.	1 0 0	
Drew Bros.	1 1 0	
Dunlop Rubber Co. of Australasia, Ltd.	2 2 0	
Edmonds, Mrs. E. J.	2 2 0	
Esplin and Willard	1 1 0	
Employees A. McDonald, Ltd.	2 5 0	
N.S.W. F.F. and Ice Co., Ltd., Employees' Accident Society	1 1 0	
Employees Warren Brick Works	6 0 5	
Fish and Packer	1 1 0	
Forsyth, A., and Co., Ltd.	2 2 0	
Friend, Mrs. Walter	1 1 0	
Gawne, Walter	1 1 0	
Goodlet, John H.	2 2 0	
Gordon, R. H., and Co., Ltd.	2 2 0	
Grant and Cocks, Ltd.	1 1 0	
Green, P. L.	2 2 0	
"Hardups"	1 1 0	
Hay, Alexander	1 1 0	
Henley, Thomas, M.L.A.	1 1 0	
Hickson, Richard	1 1 0	
Hill, W. H., Ltd.	1 1 0	
Hodkinson, T., and Co.	1 1 0	
Hundt, A. H., Ltd.	1 1 0	
Hydraulic Engineering and Hercules, Ltd.	2 2 0	
Isherwood and Bartlett Proprietary, Ltd.	1 1 0	
Jacobs, W.	1 1 0	
J. D. J. H.	1 1 0	
Johnston Tyre and Colonial Rubber Co., Ltd.	1 1 0	
Kelly, T. H.	2 2 0	
Lawrence and Hanson Electrical Co., Ltd.	1 1 0	
Loveridge and Hudson	1 1 0	
Maughan, Mrs. E.	1 1 0	
Master Carriers' Association of N.S.W.	1 1 0	
Morse, Mrs. A.	2 0 0	
Murdoch in Park-street, Ltd.	1 1 0	
McCulloch, H. C.	1 1 0	
MacKenzie, Mrs. P. F.	2 2 0	
McLaughlin, Stone, and Co.	1 1 0	
Masonic Lodge Aurora No. 136	1 1 0	
Masonic Lodge Burwood No. 153	1 1 0	
Masonic Lodge Murrumbidgee No. 37	0 10 6	
Masonic Lodge Redfern No. 82	1 1 0	
Masonic Lodge Sedgwick No. 125	1 1 0	
Masonic Lodge Southern Cross No. 91	1 1 0	
Masonic Lodge Victoria No. 113	2 2 0	
Masonic Lodge Zetland No. 9	1 1 0	
Nettleton, Son, and Co. (special)	1 1 0	
Nolan, Dr. H. Russell	1 1 0	
Northern Assurance Co., Ltd.	1 1 0	
O'Brien, Monsignor J. J.	1 1 0	
Partridge, W. G.	1 1 0	
Peninsular and Oriental S.N. Co.	5 5 0	
Prescott, Ltd.	2 2 0	
Pringle, A. R.	1 1 0	
Proud's, Ltd.	2 2 0	
Raine and Horne	2 2 0	
Resch's, Ltd.	2 2 0	
Roper, Mrs. Augusta	1 1 0	
Russell, T.	1 1 0	
Sanders, Miss M. F., N.R.F.	2 2 0	
Sewell, William	1 1 0	
Shirt, S. T.	1 1 0	
Shrimpton, G., and Sons	1 1 0	
Smith, J. M., Garvie Smith	2 2 0	
"Stanley"	1 1 0	
Starling, Mrs. E. J.	1 1 0	
Stone, B., and Son	2 2 0	
Stuart Bros.	1 1 0	
Sturt, Mrs. A. C.	2 2 0	
Tiy Loy and Co.	1 1 0	
"Tung Wah Times"	1 1 0	
Wallace and Co.	1 1 0	
Ward, James, Ltd.	1 1 0	
Waterloo Brick Co., Ltd.	2 2 0	
Weaver and Perry	1 1 0	
Webb, F. W., C.M.G.	1 1 0	
Wilcox, George, and Co.	5 5 0	
Williamson, J. C., Ltd.	1 1 0	
Windeyer, Lady	1 1 0	
Sums under £1	35 19 6	
Local Collections—		
Newtown	£8 13 3	
Camperdown	1 15 4	
Erskineville	3 5 5	
Darlington	0 14 0	
Annandale and Leichhardt	1 11 8	15 19 8
		£210 0 1

H. E. KATER,
December 3, 1912. Hon. Treasurer.

NEW SOUTH WALES INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF AND DUMB AND THE BLIND.

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Bowman, Mrs. E. J.	1 1 0	
Busby, Dr. Hugh	1 1 0	
Collins, Robert	1 1 0	
Dalton Brothers, Ltd.	1 1 0	
[illegible], C. H.	1 1 0	
Forsyth, A., and Co., Ltd.	3 3 0	
Gilmore, Robert L.	3 3 0	
Hebden, G. H.	1 0 0	
Hunt, William	1 1 0	
Joseph, M. S.	1 1 0	
Lee, Miss Beatrice	1 1 0	
Moore, Peter	1 1 0	
McCormick, Mrs. E.	1 1 0	
McKillop, R. G.	1 1 0	
Masonic Lodges: Livingstone, No. 71	1 1 0	
Macquarie, No. 53	1 1 0	
Samaritan, No. 50	1 1 0	
Perry, A. R., P.M.	1 0 0	
Rutherford, Mrs. J.	1 1 0	
Ryrie, F. L.	1 0 0	
Smith, Hon. F. Jago, M.L.C.	2 2 0	
Stewart, J. H.	1 0 0	
Warren, Mrs. R.	3 3 0	
White, Arthur G.	2 2 0	
White, R. W.	2 2 0	
Sums under £1	66 6 10	
		£103 16 10

Further subscriptions respectfully and earnestly solicited.

FRED. PHILLIPS, Hon. Treasurer.
WILLIAM RIGG, Hon. Secretary.
City-road, Darlington, Sydney.

ANNIVERSARY REGATTA, 1912.

BALANCE-SHEET.

RECEIPTS.

By Balance from 1911 Regatta	£20 7 11	
" Unclaimed Cheque	1 11 6	
" Subscriptions	336 15 6	
" Sale of Tickets	21 8 0	
" Sale of Programmes	14 16 7	
" Entrance Fees	91 12 9	
" Deposits on Official Numbers	1 9 0	
	£516 16 3	

EXPENDITURE.

To Prizes and Trophies	£281 3 6	
" Advertising	34 13 9	
" Programmes, Printing, and Stamps	41 15 1	
" Catering, Towage, and Boat Hire	50 4 0	
" Clerical Assistance, Gangway and other Men	57 9 8	
" Chairs, Band, Firing Party, P.O. Box, and Sundries	44 12 0	
" Bank charges	0 10 0	
	£470 7 7	
Balance at Bank	46 8 8	
	£516 16 3	

(Signed) ALFRED G. MILSON,
Q. L. DELOITTE,
Hon. Treasurers.

Audited and found correct,
(Signed) S. J. KEEGAN,
N. J. McDONALD,
Auditors.

THE INSTITUTE OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS OF AUSTRALASIA.

The following Candidates were successful in passing the Final Examination, First Part, Bookkeeping and Auditing, held on the 28th and 29th October last. Names appear in order of merit:—

C. F. Foxall.
G. C. King.
R. D. Reid.
L. M. Ward.
L. M. Brodie.
A. E. Roberts.
L. H. Harcourt.

NOTICE is hereby given that the PARTNERSHIP heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned, carrying on business as Accountants at No. 7 Moore-street, Sydney, under the style or firm of GAFF and FIRMIN, has been DISSOLVED by mutual consent as from the thirtieth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

All Debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid respectively by the said GILBERT ROBERTSON GAFF.

Dated this thirtieth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

G. ROBERTSON GAFF.
D. C. FIRMIN.

Witness, L. D. MONTAGU,
Clerk to Gaff and Firmin.

IN THE ASSIGNED ESTATE OF WILLIAM HIND CAREY, trading as R. CARRICK and CO., Storekeeper, SUTHERLAND.

ALL CLAIMS against the above Estate must be rendered to me on or before TUESDAY NEXT, 10th inst., otherwise they will not be recognised.

ALBERT BORCHARD,
Sydney, Public Accountant,
4th December, 1912. Equitable-building, George-street.

DISSOLUTION of Partnership. NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership hitherto existing between George Goldberg and John Goldberg, trading as Goldberg Brothers, of Wombat, General Storekeepers, has been Dissolved by mutual consent as from the 29th day of November, 1912. All moneys owing by or to the said partnership will be paid or received as the case may be by the said George Goldberg. Dated this 29th day of November, 1912. George Goldberg. J. Goldberg. Witness—J. H. Gordon.

PUBLIC NOTICE.
I wish to notify the Public generally that I was NOT the G. DYSON who contested the City Election yesterday.

G. DYSON,
Alderman, Municipality Woollahra,
Grosvenor-street, Woollahra; and
14 Moore-street, Sydney.

ALL ACCOUNTS due by Alderman R. C. HAGON'S COMMITTEE must be rendered immediately to

E. C. HUGHES,
General Secretary,
117 Bathurst-street.

NOTICE to All Agents.—Having sold my Property, known as Dunee Ville, Garnet-street, Dulwich Hill, it is now withdrawn. E. J. ELLIS.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

INDUSTRIAL ARBITRATION ACT, 1912.—NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO BOARD.—Take notice that application has been made to the Labourers' Group Board, No. 5, by the UNITED LABOURERS' PROTECTIVE SOCIETY for the determination by the Board of the matters set forth in the annexure hereto. Take notice also that the Board will meet at the Manchester Unity Hall, 160 Elizabeth-street, Sydney, on Wednesday, the 11th day of December, 1912, at the hour of 10 a.m., and at such other places and on such other subsequent days as the Board may appoint, and to consider the said application. Take notice also that if you desire to be exempted from any award made by the Board, or to make any objection to the application, you should do so by lodging application for such exemption or any objection to the application with the Chairman of the Board, at 105 PITT-STREET, SYDNEY, on or before the abovementioned date of meeting. Take notice also that if application for exemption or objection to the application is not lodged by you, you may be made subject to such award as the Board may think fit to make in respect of the said industry or calling for which the Board has been constituted. Take notice also that you may be heard before the said Board on any application or any objection before the Board. Take notice also that the Board may make an award differing from the particulars contained in the application and annexure hereto, and may determine that its award shall cover any area or areas which may be within its jurisdiction. PARTICULARS OF CLAIM:—The claim is for an Award for the State to take the place of an existing Award, which expired on the 24th day of November, 1912 (and excludes the County of Yancowinna, and all other persons and firms as set out in Gazette notice, of 11th July, 1912), and to regulate Working Hours, Preference to Unionists, Wages to various Classes of Labourers, Overtime, Fares (Railway, Tramways, and Steamers), Holidays, Special Terms and Conditions for Country Work, Wet Places, Sanitary, and Other Accommodation. Dated this third day of December, 1912. T. H. JACKSON, Chairman of the Board.

NEW SOUTH WALES INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF AND DUMB AND THE BLIND.

We beg to acknowledge, with many thanks, the receipt from the PERPETUAL TRUSTEE CO., Ltd., of a cheque for ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SIX POUNDS (£126), being the third instalment of a legacy left to this institution by the late Miss M. A. CHATER, of Balmain.

FRED. PHILLIPS, Hon. Treasurer;
WILLIAM RIGG, Hon. Secretary.
Sydney, December 3rd, 1912.

ANIMALS' PROTECTION SOCIETY OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Office, Vickery's-chambers, 82 Pitt-street, Sydney. Office hours: 10 to 11, 2 to 4. 'Phone, 3001. Should you witness any act of cruelty, don't delay—ring up or write—information imparted strictly confidential.

W. T. MOSS, Secretary.

I HEREBY give NOTICE to AGENTS that I wish to WITHDRAW SALE of my PLACES, from this date, Dec. 2, 1912. J. A. ANDERSON, 1A Clubb-st, Rozelle.

MR. GEORGE FORBES, Solicitor, has Removed from 82 Hunter-street to Siddeley-chambers, 114 Hunter-street, top floor. Take the lift.

I WITHDRAW my business from all agents from this date. December 2, 1912. Mrs. E. HALLAHAN, 91 New Canterbury-road, Petersham.

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MONDAY, 9th DECEMBER, 1912.

ENGINEERING DRAFTSMAN (Temporary), Murrumbidgee Irrigation Area. Pay, £270 per annum. Applicants should have a good knowledge of earthwork and the design of structures in timber, reinforced concrete, and steel. Some experience in connection with the design and construction of irrigation works is also desirable.

BOY MESSENGERS (Temporary). Applicants must be between 14 and 16 years of age. Commencing rate of pay 15s per week, rising by increment of 2s 6d per week each year up to 20s per week, and thereafter by increments of 5s per week each year until pay reaches 30s per week, increments being subject to satisfactory conduct and service.

By Order of the Board,
(9a-113) R. A. GILFILLAN, Secretary.

BRICKLAYERS wanted, long job. O'Brien-st, Bondi, near beach. R. French.

BOY wanted, to learn saddlery trade. L. Nichols, 221 Wynyard-lane, city.

BOYS. Vacancies for Apprentice, learn bookbinding. With guardian, Henderson's Works, 38 Clarence-st.

BAKER, 2nd hand, cty., 30s and keep. Frank and James, 18 Elizabeth-st, city.

BOOT TRADE. Wanted, MAKERS, for welts. Premier, 319 George-st.

BRICKLAYERS and HODCARRIERS, 2 wanted. Young-st, Neutral Bay.

BRICKLAYERS' LABOURER wtd., first-class man, 11s p. day. Roberts'-av, Randwick. H. Roberts.

BOOT TRADE.—Wanted, Finishers, Rockers, and Sisters. Andrews and Villiers, Crown-st, St. Peters.

BOOT TRADE.—Makers, for Bluchers. Next to Halfway House, Botany-rd, Waterloo.

BOOT TRADE.—Wanted, MAKER. Wolf Bros., 2 Pearl-st, Newtown, off Alice-st.

BOYS and YOUTHS wanted. G. H. Manley's Factory, Newton-st, Alexandria.

BLACKSMITH wanted, used to engineering work. 389 Harris-st, Pyrmont.

BOOT REPAIRER.—A good all-round Hand wanted. Apply G. Cull and Son, Pitt-st.

BOY.—Good opening for resp. Boy. Arthur Gray and Co., Tea Merchants, 115 Liverpool-st.

BOOKBINDING.—Exp. Girls, also Beginners; Boy, Apprentice, holidays paid. E. Kiely, 250 Pitt-st.

BRASS Polisher and Lacquerer wanted. Apply Davies Shephard, and Co., Annandale.

BUSH CARPENTER wanted, to build w.b. Cott., Gosford district. State wages. 1861, Rozelle P.O.

BOOT TRADE.—Wanted, smart Maker. M. S. 304 Parramatta-rd, cor. Percival-rd, Petersham.

BOOT TRADE. Wanted, a good Repairer, plenty of work to good man. 13 King-st, Newtown.

BRICKLAYER'S LABOURER wanted, for country, wages 12s. Apply 105 Macauley-rd, Stanmore.

BOY wanted, at once, to learn fibrous plaster fixing. Brown and Finney, Wyndham-st, Alex'dria.

BRICKLAYERS WANTED.
Apply Haberfield Office,
Kingston and Ramsay streets, Haberfield.

BOOKBINDING.
Wanted, experienced TABLE HANDS; also JUNIOR GIRLS as Beginners. McCARRON, STEWART, and CO., 23-25 Goulburn-street, city.

BOYS WANTED, 16-17 years.
GOOD WAGES, STEADY EMPLOYMENT.
AUSTRALIAN ROPEWORKS,
Bourke-street, Waterloo.

BOY for office, attend telephone, etc., start at 15s.
Mauri Bros. and Thomson, Ltd.,
Bourke-street,
Waterloo.

BOYS WANTED, over 16 years, high wages start. Chance to learn good trade. Men now earning up to £6 week. SYDNEY GLASS BOTTLE WORKS, Dowling-street, Waterloo.

BALMAIN CO-OP. SOCIETY
MONTAGUE-STREET.

WANTED, 2 SMART GROCERS.

Apply THIS MORNING.

BUREAU FOR TRAINED NURSES, 350 GEORGE-ST. Miss MacLachlan requires General Nurses, £75 to £65. Assistant Nurses, 1 to 3 years, exper., Suburban Hospital; 15 Probationers; Nurse for private case, 21s; Upper and Under Nurse, Cooee, 3 children. Waiting—Certificated (English) Norland Nurse, country only.

BOYS.
Wanted, Boys, aged about 16 years. Wages 20s to 25s per 48 hours.
Apply personally to
Sugar Works,
Pyrmont.

BOOT DEPARTMENT.

Wanted, for our Ladies' Boot Department, a Smart Young LADY, as Beginner.
A good opportunity for a Smart Girl.
Apply, upstairs, 10 a.m.,
HORDERN BROTHERS,
203-11 Pitt-street.

BLOUSE AND FANCY WORKROOM.

Wanted, one WELL-ADVANCED SENIOR YOUNG LADY, for this room. Also Improvers to Lace work.
Apply, by letter, marked "PRIVATE," or personally, 9 to 10 a.m., UPSTAIRS.
HORDERN BROTHERS,
203-11 Pitt-street.

BOYS.

HORDERN BROTHERS
have Vacancies in their Establishment for Several Smart Gentlemanly LADS, just leaving School, wishing to start a Business Career. Good opportunity for advancement. Wages, 10/ per week to start.
Apply, Upstairs, 9 a.m.,
HORDERN BROTHERS,
203-11 Pitt-street.

BOYS.

PARENTS,
we are wanting one or two good-class, respectable BOYS for our Shop, where they will be able to learn a good, clean, and gentlemanly trade. 10s per week to start.
If you wish to make a good business man of your son this opportunity should be seized.
Apply Manager,
McCATHIE'S, LTD.,
Pitt-street.

BARRABA DISTRICT HOSPITAL.

Applications are invited by the Committee of the above Hospital for the following positions:
PROBATIONER, with some experience preferred, and willing to assist with domestic duties if required. Salary, £26 per annum.
PROBATIONER, with at least three years' experience. Salary, £40 per annum.
Applications, with copies of testimonials, to be in the hands of the undersigned on or before 1 p.m. SATURDAY, 6th December.
JAS. H. SUTHERLAND,
Secretary Barraba Hospital.

COMPOSITORS.—Good JOBBING COMP. wanted. Turner and Henderson, Ltd., Jamieson-st.

CARPENTER wanted, good. Apply on job, corner Mowbray and Muccama rds., Chats. Elphick, Bldr.

CORRESPONDENCE CLERK Wanted. Apply, by letter only, W. C. Penfold and Co., 183 Pitt-st.

CLOTHING and MERCERY.—Wanted, YOUTH, accustomed to the Trade. 139 George-st North.

CARPENTERS (2) wanted. Allison-rd, Kensington. Hoggard.

CARPENTERS, 2, Wanted, Malting Co.'s new large building, Thornleigh, 1st-cl. Men, award rates.

CARPENTER WANTED. After 10 a.m., Trebatha, Harrison-st, Neutral Bay.

CARPENTER, good tradesman, wanted. Apply new job, West-st, Hurstville, near station.

CARPENTERS wanted, must be good roof hands. Seymour's Job, Show Ground.

CARPENTERS.—Wanted, a good FIXER. 221 Trafalgar-st, Annandale.

CARPENTER, used to building insulated rooms for cold storage. 309 Harris-st, Pyrmont.

CARPENTERS wanted. Apply Phoenix Biscuit Fac., Cleveland-st.

CARPENTERS. Good FIXER wanted. G. Rush, Powell-st, Coogee, leave tram Byron-st.

CARPENTER and Joiner. Shop next door to London Bank, Oxford-st, after 8.

CANVASSER, for outdoor Photographer, yng., smart, experienced; Half Share. F. A. N., Herald.

CARPENTERS, 2 good wanted. Apply Moodie Bros., 247 Pitt-st.

CARPENTER wanted, for cottage work. T. Harper, Contractor, Lofton-st, off Foster-st, Leichhardt.

CARPENTER wanted at once for small job, references. The Cottage, Want-st, Burwood.

CARPENTER wanted, first-class man, accustomed to factory buildings, new and repair work.
MEADOWBANK CO., Meadowbank.

CARDBOARD BOX TRADE.—Experienced YOUTH, for Armory Press, permanent. TURNER and HENDERSON, Ltd., Jamieson-street.

CARPENTER, first-class hand, long job suitable man, highest wages. Apply A. Smith, Builder, Tolstoi, Belmont-road, Mosman.

CARPENTERS. Two wanted. Apply H. Longworth's job, Australian Woollen Mills, Sydenham-rd, Marrickville; take Addison-rd tram to Coronation-av.

COACHBUILDER.—Wanted, first-class Waggon Smith, for Northern Line, permanent, good wages.
GRIMLEY, Ltd.,
362 Clarence-street.

CONFECTIONERY.
GIRLS wanted for cheap chocolate dipping, wages 17s 6d. BASS,
658 George-street, city.

COMPETENT LADIES' TAILOR wanted, one capable of taking charge.
W. E. WARD and CO., LTD.,
47 York-street.

COMPANION. Lady, living beyond Blue Mountains, desires pleasant COMPANION, summer months, quiet bush home, bracing climate, light duties. Replies to
DRAYTON,
Herald Office.

CITY MUTUAL LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY, Hunter and Bligh streets, Sydney.
JUNIOR CLERK wanted, with some office experience. For a smart brainy lad excellent prospects. Salary to commence £75 per annum.
N. H. D. HOPSON, Secretary.

CLERK OF WORKS.
WANTED, a Competent CLERK OF WORKS. Must know his job. Salary £300 per annum to commence. Permanent position if suitable man.
Duties start 1st January.
Apply
CLERK OF WORKS,
G.P.O., Sydney.

DRAMATIC.—Wanted, expd. AMATEUR, gent. Apply Room 25, Paling's, Ash-st, 8 To-night.

DRESSMAKING. Wanted, compt. Bodice Hands and Assistants. 117 Liverpool-st, city.

DRESSMAKING. Wanted, Assistants, Improvers, constant. Walmer, 144 Albany-rd, Petersham.

DRAINER wanted, used to house connecting. W. Thomson, 20 Enmore-rd, Newtown.

POSITIONS VACANT.

DESPATCH CLERK wanted. Apply, stating age and experience, to Box 444, Herald Office.

DRESSMAKING.—Wanted, a good Skirt Hand, also Apprentices. Misses Williams, 439 Oxford-st, Padd.

DRESSMAKING.—Wanted, good Skirt and Blouse Hands, constant emp. Mrs. Davis, 181 Geo.-st W.

DRESSMAKING.—Wanted, Machinist for Skirts, constant; Apprens. Miss Roberson, 85 Geo.-st W.

DRESSMAKERS.—Machinist, Improver, Apprcs., gd. w. Valerie, 2 Hetta-bldgs., Avoca-st, Randwick.

DRESSMAKING.—Wanted, at once, Smart Improvers. Miss Smith, Lenore, Ramsay-rd, nr. O'Connor-st.

DRESSMAKING.—Wanted, Apprentices; constant. Miss Keshan, Albert-blds., Bathurst-st, city.

DRESSMAKERS.—Stylish Head, take charge small w'room, city, £2; city exp. Immediate, Hld. Brch.

DRESSMAKING.—Blouse and Bodice Hands wanted, £1; Imprvs. and Appets. Mrs. Miller, 283 Pitt-st.

DRESSMAKING.—Wtd., Improvers, Apprentices, no overtime. Miss Ross, 125 Womerah-ave., D'hurst.

DRESSMAKING.—Wtd., Imps., Apps., bodices, also Bodice Hands. Mrs. Loveridge, 123 Oxford-st.

DRAPERY.—Wanted, smart young Ladies, for the Sales. G. Dechow, opp. Savings Bk., M'ville.

DRAPERS.—Wanted, Salesmen, Senior and Junior. Apply after 5, H. B. Linthorn, Marrickville.

DRAPERY.—Wanted, Young Ladies as Saleswomen. Apply after 5, H. B. Linthorn, Marrickville.

DRESSMAKING.—Improvers and Apprentices. Apply Miss Zillm, 106 Arthur-st, N. Sydney.

DRESSMAKER.—Wanted, Bodice Assistant; also Skirt Assistance. Surman, Rocky Point-rd, Rockdale.

DRESSMAKER wanted, good wages. Apply, after 9, 110 Liverpool-st.

DESPATCH CLERK wanted, competent man, accustomed to mineral water trade, permanent position. Apply
No. 443, Herald Office.

DRESSMAKING.—Competent ASSISTANT for Bodices, also IMPROVERS. Constant employment. MISS DAVIES, No. 6, First Floor, Linden-court, corner Castlereagh and Market streets.

DRAPERY.
Wanted, a GOOD SALESMAN, in our Lace Department. Must understand his business, and be Smart.
Apply, 9 to 10 a.m., or by letter, marked "PRIVATE."
HORDERN BROTHERS,
203-11 Pitt-street.

ERRAND BOYS wanted. Apply William Brooks and Co., Ltd., 17 Castlereagh-st, Sydney.

EDITOR wanted, tri-weekly paper, do own reporting. Salary £4. State age, references,
Manager, WITNESS,
Young, N.S.W.

FRENCHPOLISHER, Handrails and Newels, small job. Bramley, corner Lamrock-Chambers avs., Bondi B.

FLOOR-LAYERS wanted. Darley-rd, near Carrington-rd, Randwick.

FINISHERS wanted, for Costumes and Skirts. Cohen and Sons, Ltd., 433-5 Kent-st.

FURNITURE, Woodworking Machinist, also good Turner wanted. Elliott's Factory, Crescent, An'dale.

FIRST-CLASS TURNER required, one accustomed to Turret lathes. Meadowbank Co., Meadowbank.

FOUR CARPENTERS wanted. Kent's Job, Maroubra Bay-rd and Broad-st, South Kensington Terminus.

GIRLS. Feeders to Ruling Machine, for perforating, wiring. Highest wages. Nevil, 6 Clarence-st.

GROCERS.—Junior wanted, smart counter hand, good wages. A. Andrews, Rookwood.

GOOD FENCER WANTED. John Fell and Co., Gore Bay, Greenwich.

GIRLS wanted for Bookbinding Dept., up to 3yrs.' exp. Pratten Bros., Printers, Jamieson-st, city.

GIRLS, about 15 years, learn tailoring, 10s start. Mr. Turnbull, 368 Sussex-st.

GIRL, young, wanted, for our despatch dept., good wages commence. Simmons, Ltd., 55 Druitt-st.

GIRLS wtd. for Box-making Department. Apply Wm. Brooks and Co., Ltd., 17 C'reagh-st, Sydney.

GROCERS. SMART JUNIOR wanted, age about 16. F. B. Bailey, 80 Bondi-rd, Bondi.

GOOD, reliable Man, used to furniture, able drive. Hyde, House Furnishers, 287 Ox.-st, Pad. T., 64.

GIRL, to serve in Fruit Shop. Mr. Allotta, 243 Parramatta-rd, Annandale.

GROCERS. Wanted, smart JUNIOR, refs. Geo. Pratt, 243 King-st, Newtown.

GROCERY. Wanted, strong LAD, good wages. F. Perkin, Spit Junction, Mosman.

GIRLS, about 14 years, wanted, for sewing room good wages. 21 Johnston-st, Annandale.

GIRLS, 2 vacancies, learn easy trade, from school preferred, start 10s, seventh month 12s. HENDERSON'S BOOKBINDING WORKS, 38 Clarence-street.

GROCER'S ASSISTANTS. Wanted, smart yg. Salesman, Tobac. Shop, w. £2 15s. By letter, copies of refs., stating age, etc., to Box 18, Haymarket P.O.

GROCERS. Smart JUNIOR, for counter trade, able drive; also intelligent LAD, to learn the trade. A. N. WHITE and CO., Strathfield.

GIRLS. Respectable GIRLS wanted for our Bookbinding Department, just leaving school preferred.
JOHN SANDS, Limited,
Druitt-street.

GROCER. Branch Manager and one Senior Assistant, immediate duties; must invest in lieu of fidelity bond. State amount available.
GROCER, Box 1666, G.P.O.

GIRL, young, to learn light trade, good wages and quick advancement; also competent Hands, 25s wk.
SIMMONS, LTD.,
55 Druitt-street.

GOULBURN DISTRICT HOSPITAL.
Applications are invited for the Position of RESIDENT MEDICAL OFFICER, from 1st January next, in the above Hospital. Applications to be in the hands of the President by Tuesday, 10th December, 1912. W. A. MARTIN, President.

GIRLS.
Wanted, Girls, aged about 16 years. Good wages.
Apply personally to
Sugar Works,
Pyrmont.

GOVERNESSES' BUREAU.—Res. and Visiting Mistresses, Latin, math., English; Gov., girl 14, violin, £45, station; 4 pupils, £50, Walgett; GOV.-HOUSEKEEPER, 3 girls, £52, station. Waiting Engagement; FRENCH NURSERY GOV., music, Eng., good n'woman. Miss Rofe, Colonial Bank-ch., 105 Pitt-st.

GUNNEDAH HOSPITAL.

APPLICATIONS are invited for the Position of PROBATIONARY NURSE to the above Institution. Salary at rate of £20 p.a. for 1st three months, then £26 p.a., subject favourable report for first year, £30 second year, £36 third year. Applications close MONDAY, 9th DECEMBER, 1912.

G. E. BROWNE, Secretary.

HAIRDRESSERS.—Wanted, compt. Tradesman, for sa.s. Refs. to V. Benham, P.O., Newtown.

HANDY LABOURER wanted. 41 Edgecliff-rd, Woollahra.

HARNESS MAKER, light hand, must be used to factory work, city. A. Gregory.

HODCARRIER wanted. New job, Booth-st, Camperdown.

HEAD TIMEKEEPER.—Applicants are notified that the position has now been FILLED.
MEADOWBANK MANUFACTURING COMPANY,
Meadowbank.

INTELLIGENT YOUTH for Office.
Apply personally with letter of application,
BUSHELLS, Ltd.,
Tea, Coffee, and Cocoa,
26-28 George-street North.

JUNIOR CLERK, commencing at 14s. Apply Chidgey and Patterson, Queensland Offices, Bridge-st.

JUNIOR Clerk, good opport., sal. £1 wk. By letter, Upton and Co., Ltd., Soap Works, Alex'dria.

JUNIOR DRAUGHTSMAN wanted, accus. general bldg. work. A. J. Hart, Pendennis-chs., 375 Geo.-st.

JUNIOR CLERK for factory office, good opportunity for bright lad, just from school. Apply promptly, MEADOWBANK CO., Meadowbank.

LADY Canvassers (20) wtd., easy sellers, carrying splendid remuneration. Oakes, 250A Pitt-st.

LADS wanted, for all Departments. Apply William Brooks and Co., Ltd., 17 Castlereagh-st, Sydney.

LADS for steam hammer driving. Meadowbank Co., Meadowbank.

LAD, about 16, for office. Fresh Food and Ice Co., Allen-st, Waverley. Apply personally.

LABOURER for Bricklayers wanted. Apply on job, Abbotsford-st, Kensington. E. A. Bradford and Co.

LETTERPRESS MACHS. wanted for Demy Wharfedale. Letter, S. D. Townsend and Co., 283 Pitt-st.

LABOURER WANTED. Apply on job, Milroy, corner Albert and Homebush rds., Strathfield.

LEGAL. Solicitor, for country practice, large district, share net profits, books. Young business. Write Practice, c.o. A. J. Grant, Solicitor, 88 Pitt-st.

LAD, strong, under 18, for cordial factory, constant work. John Cawsey and Co., Ltd., Circular Quay (West), opp. Norddeutscher Lloyd Wharf.

LABOURERS WANTED.
D. HARDY and SONS, LTD.,
Miller and Jones streets, Pyrmont.

LIFE ASSURANCE INSPECTORS of character and big records required, liberal terms right men. Apply personally or letter, the Manager, the AUSTRALIAN PROVINCIAL ASS., Ltd., 75 York-street.

LADY WORKERS' BUREAU, 350 George-street. Miss MacLachlan req. 2 Governesses, H'keeper, large institution, 30s; Someone for linen-room, 20s; R.C. H'keeper, for clergyman; Jun. Typist, yg. Girl, for stationers, 15s; 16 Domesticated L. Workers, house duties, no ldry., subs., city, 30s, 25s, 20s, to 15s.

LEETON MEDICAL BOARD AND HOSPITAL COMMITTEE.

WANTED for Leeton and Yanco, QUALIFIED MEDICAL PRACTITIONER, rapidly rising district, affording splendid opportunity.

Applicants to state weekly payments required per subscriber (lodge members and Trust employees), with and without medicine, or salary required. Private practice allowed. Honorary attendance to local hospital necessary. Applications with copies of testimonials, etc., to be addressed to

T. H. HOGAN,
Secretary,
Leeton, via Yanco.

MEDICAL.—Assistants wanted for Country Practs., with hospitals, rail. towns. Bruck, Belmont-bldg.

MILLINERY.—Wanted, Apprentices, at once. Apply F. Robinson, 111 (2nd floor), Strand.

MACHINISTS wanted, for leather goods, light wages, const. work. Louis Rattinson, 348 Kent-st.

MILLINERY. Apprs. to millinery, local girls pref. Haslam, next Lee, Chemist, Dulwich Hill Term.

MILLINERY.—Wanted, smart Improvers, millinery workroom. Brennan's, Newtown.

MILLINERY. First-class Impers. (3), good wages, perm. emp. J. R. Haslam, 13 Botany-rd, Waterloo.

MACHINISTS, experienced (4), also a few IMPROVERS, light but constant work, good wages. Apply Mr. Sampson, PERDRIAU CO., Ltd., 270 George-st.

MASTER, for well-established Boys' Preparatory day school in Sydney, required January next. Qualifications, Latin, mathematics, English, sports. Apply by letter to GRADUATE, Herald Office.

MANAGER for suburban House and Land Agency, must be an exp. property salesman. Splendid opening for man of business ability. Applications strictly confidential. Apply, first inst., BRANCH, Petersham P.O.

MERCHANT'S OFFICE. A Gentlemanly BOY required, one with some knowledge of typewriting preferred, salary 15s to commence. References.
Box 64, G.P.O.

MEDICAL MEN proposing to accept Appointment as Medical Officer of Hillgrove Hospital (N.S.W.), are invited to communicate with D. SNOW, Hon. Sec., N.D.M.A., Tamworth, N.S.W.

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METAL CEILING FIXERS.
First-class hands wanted. No others need apply.
THE AUSTRALIAN EMBOSSED CEILING CO.,
10 Castlereagh-street.

POSITIONS VACANT.

MARBLE QUARRYMAN.—Competent MAN required as Manager of Quarries. Reply, giving full particulars, to SIMPLEX, Herald Office.

MINERS (Coal).—Wanted, experienced MINERS in extending workings. Apply to
The Manager,
BULLI COLLIERY AND COKE WORKS, LTD.,
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MECHANIC. Smart, respectable YOUTH, for light machinery business, to repair machines and assist in selling, etc.; business easily learnt, wages 20s and small commission. Exceptional opportunity advancement for reliable lad. Apply after 9 a.m.,
62 Queen Victoria Markets, York-street.

MERRIWA DISTRICT HOSPITAL.

Applications, accompanied by references, will be received by the undersigned till December 17 for the position of MATRON. Salary £80 per annum, ten beds, one Probationer, Cook, and Laundress kept.
H. C. ANDREW, Hon. Secretary.

MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF WOOLLAHRA.

APPLICATIONS are invited until noon on SATURDAY, the 7th instant, for the Services of a HORSE, CART, and DRIVER, for about two (2) months, at 12s 6d per day, for Corporation work.
For further particulars apply to the Engineer at the undermentioned office.

CHAS. A. VIVIAN,
Town Clerk.
Council-chambers, Woollahra,
2nd December, 1912.

NURSES' BUREAU.—Trained Nurses, 2 years' exp., £36, Dubbo, Parkes, £30, Manly; Whra., training school, £12; £40, Paddington, £1, Wollongong. Children's Nurse, 20s, Manly. Miss ROFE, 105 Pitt-street.

OUTDOOR WORKER, for linoleum laying, must be neat. Birmingham, and Co., 117 Bathurst-st.

PRINTERS. Strong LAD wanted, messages and useful. Syd. Day, Ltd., 211 George-st.

PLASTERER wanted. Apply Alexandria Town Hall.

PASTRYCOOK, all round man, country, £3. Frank and James, 18 Elizabeth-st.

PLATEN MACHINIST wanted. The Thompson Printery, 2 Bridge-st.

PAINTERS. Six good Brush Hands wanted. Apply Loudholme, Chandos-st, Ashfield.

PATTERNMAKER wants Work as Improver, has draftsman, gd. ref. Lucas, Theodore-st, Balmain.

PLUMBERS. Two good Roof Hands wanted. Blenden and Brown, 7 Botany-st, Redfern.

PAINTERS. Wanted, gd. Improver, used to ladder, 7.45 a.m., 12 Norton-st, off Foveaux-st, Surry Hills.

PAINTERS.—Wanted, smart Brush HANDS, job, Broughton-st, off William-st, Darlinghurst.

PAINTER wanted, swinging stage. Corner Regent and Moore Park-rd, Paddington.

PAPERHANGER, good. Royal George Hotel, Sussex and Phelps-st, S. Hills. H. T. Parsons.

PLUMBERS. Wanted, good Jobbing Hands. Barrington, Plumber, 48 Corso, Manly.

PLUMBER wanted, to repair roof, at Coogee. Edwards, 404 Cleveland-st, city.

PLASTERER, used to ceilings and floors, long job, 17 Collins-st, Annandale.

PLASTERER wanted. Apply 163 Rochford-st, Erskineville.

PLUMBERS.—First-class Hand wanted. 37 Bertram-st, Glebe.

PLASTERERS' LABOURERS, 2 wanted, good. Apply No. 83 Young-st, Annandale, early. J. Lloyd.

PLUMBERS. Wanted, good GENERAL HANDS. T. C. Thomson, Railway-avenue, Burwood.

PLASTERER'S LABOURER wanted. Apply Fagan, st, Kogarah.

PHOTOGRAPHY.—A Retoucher wanted at once. The Johnson Studios, 36 Market-st.

PHOTOGRAPHY. Smart ASSISTANT OPERATOR wanted. Johnson Studios, Market-st.

PAINTERS. First-class Brush Hand. Hornsey-rd, Flemington, nr. shooting ground.

PAINTERS.—Good Brush Hand wanted. Apply 9 a.m., Scott, new job, Jay-st, Rookwood.

PRIVATE Hospital, Orange District.—Wanted, fully qualified Nurse, take full charge, no capital required. For particulars, after 6 p.m., 75 Addison-road, Manly.

PAINTERS. Wanted, good Man, 11s day and fares. Apply W. PLATT, new cottages, back of Narborough House, North BONDI. Leave tram at terminus.

POSITION of Trust, carrying good salary, offered young man, single preferred, in City Firm, previous experience not essential, must deposit £75 cash. ODD, Herald, King-street.

PLASTER SHOP HAND WANTED,
FOR MODELLING DEPARTMENT.
Apply
WORKS FOREMAN,
AUSTRALIAN EMBOSSED CEILING CO.
665 Bourke-st.

ROCKCHOPPERS wanted. Apply Gasworks, Oyster Cove, near Bay-rd, North Sydney.

RUBBLE MASONS. Solomon's job, Sinclair-st, near Crow's Nest, North Sydney.

SURGEON wanted, for coastal steamer, at once, salary and fees. Brock, Castlereagh-st.

STATIONER. Wtd., compt. Salesman, with knowl. trade. By letter, Smith and Lane, 15 Bridge-st.

SMART BOYS, for Wood Machine Shop, good opportunity learn trade. Meadowbank Co., Meadowbank.

SHIRTMAKERS, MACHINISTS for best work, permanent. Peapes and Co., Ltd., 309 George-st.

SMART, willing BOYS, useful, in store, to commence at once, wages 15s. Apply 326 Sussex-st.

SMART, willing LAD wanted, for office.
D. HARDY and SONS, Ltd.,
Miller and Jones streets, Pyrmont.

SHIRTS.—The Model Shirt Factory. Wanted, good Machinists for fashions, Starcher for laundry, Presser and Turner for fashions. Darlinghurst Clothing Co., 287 Bourke-street (near Liverpool-street).

SMART BOYS WANTED.
Good wages.
CHOUN BROS. and MULHOLLAND, Ltd.,
Jones-street, Ultimo.

SHIRTS.—Experienced, 2, Needle Machinists Wanted.
CLEVELAND SHIRT FACTORY,
Cleveland-avenue,
Near cor. Crown and Cleveland streets, Surry H.

SLEEPER-CUTTERS. SLEEPER CUTTERS.—Reliable, experienced Men, good timber, 21 miles from Mudgee; advances made; motor carriage to railway. State experience.
SLEEPERS,
Box 1064, G.P.O.

SMART JUNIOR required for a leading Suburban MERCER. Must be good Salesman and Window-dresser.
Apply
DAVID STOREY and CO.,
81 York-street, Sydney.

SHIRTS. Women to Cut Cottons of Shirts, 12s 6d per week.
We are never slack.

THE STANDARD MANUFACTURING CO.,
Mountain and Kelly streets,
Off George-street West.
No Saturday work.

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SHIRE OF HORNSBY.

VALUERS.

APPLICATIONS are invited up to MONDAY, 16th DECEMBER, 1912, at 2 p.m., for the Valuation by Contract of "A," "B," and "C" Ridings of the above Shire. Separate prices for each Riding under separate covers.

The valuation to be made for the triennial period 1914-1916. Present number of total assessments about 7200.

Specifications, giving full particulars and details may be obtained by post on written application, or inspected during office hours, Mondays to Fridays, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., at the Council-chambers, Hornsby.

W. W. KING,
Shire Clerk.
Council-chambers, Hornsby,
29th November, 1912.

TO Bandsmen Seeking Employment. Plumbers or Labourers, wages. M'Kernon, Sec. Marden Band.

TAILORS. COAT HAND to press and sew. Calder, Pitt-st.

TAILORESSES. Good COAT HANDS, constant work, good wages. Calder, 310 Pitt-st.

TAILORS. Two Coatmakers required, for Newcastle. Apply 1st floor, 1 Barrack-st, Sydney.

TILE LAYER wanted, roofing, and verandah tiles. Ap. on job, R. Collin, Middle Head-rd, Mosman.

TO TAILORESSES. Wanted, at once, Trousers and Vest Hands, no wait. Smith Faber, 224 Geo.-st.

TAILORS. SAC COAT MAKERS wanted. D. Braham and Co., 76 Market-st.

TAILORING. Vacancy for Female Apprentice. D. Braham and Co., 76 Market-st.

TAILORESSES. Trousers Makers wanted, piece or weekly, const. Braham and Co., 76 Market-st.

TAILORESSES. SAC COAT MAKERS wanted. D. Braham and Co., 76 Market-st.

TAILORS. Trousers and Denim Machinists wanted. Apply M. Brown, Rocky Point-rd, Rockdale.

TAILORESSES. Coat Table Hands, Improvers, Apprentices. Fell, Ferguson, 54 Royal Arcade, Pitt-st.

TRAVELLER, with com., Confectioners, etc., for country and sub., city, sub. Chemist, Herald Bch.

TO TAILORESSES. COAT HANDS wanted. Monster and Ferguson, 546 George-st, Sydney.

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TO Boot Manufacturers. Wanted, smart Man, to cut soles from soft material. Address Box 1166, G.P.O.

TO TAILORESSES. Wanted, Coat, Vest, and Trousers Hands, highest wages. Hagon, Oxford-st.

TAILORESSES. First-class Coat Table Hands, constant work. R. Simmons, 36 George-st, near Brickfield.

TAILORESSES. Trousers Machinist, to take charge machines. Machinists. Anderson, 127 Goulburn-st.

TAILORESSES. Wtd., Improver to coats, making gd. wages. No. 11, 7th floor, George-st, nr. Park-st.

TO TAILORESSES. Wanted, good Trousers Hand. A. Smith, 300 King-st, Newtown, St. George's Hall.

TWO PLASTERERS wanted. Kent's job, Maroubra Bay-rd and Broad-st, South Kensington Terminus.

TAILORESSES. We require First, Vest and Trousers Hands, in or out door. Apply 100 Pitt-st.

TILE LAYERS out wanted. J. H. Walker, Tile Department, Anthony Hordern's.

TO Tailors and Tailoresses. Wanted, good Coat Makers. G. Hardt, Co., H. T. Cousin, Wynyard.

TAILORS. Wanted, Coat MAKERS. Oxford-st, Darlinghurst.

TO TAILORS. Wtd., at once, comp. COAT HANDS, plenty work, good light and wages. Apply early. SMITH and FAHEY, 330A George-street.

TAILORESSES. Coat, Vest, Trous., juvenile and washing Coat Machinists. ROBERTSON and ELLIS, Wellington-street, Chippendale.

TAILORESSES.—Experienced COAT HANDS, also IMPROVERS. J. B. DANCE, 634 George-street, opp. Cathedral.

TYPIST and SHORTHAND WRITER, quick at figures, wanted, used to invoicing. SMITH, COPELAND, and CO., Ltd., 304 Clarence.

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POSITIONS VACANT.

TRAVELLERS calling on squatters, farmers, etc., wanted to represent firm Merchant Tailors. Samples easily carried. High commission. Prices right. WOOLLENS, Herald, King-street.

TAILORESSES.—TAILORESSES wanted, to baste out, 25s per week. HENRY ALEXANDER and CO., 88 Kent-street, between King and Market streets, city.

TO TAILORESSES. Wanted, First-class Vest Hands, outdoor. Constant work. Good wages. R. C. HAGON, 120 King-street.

TAILORESSES.—VEST HANDS wanted, in or out door, piece or weekly, £2 per week. PRICE and CO., 114 King-street.

TAILORESSES.—COAT, TROUSERS, and VEST HANDS. IMPROVERS and APPRENTICES to same. C. O. GILES, 222 Clarence-street.

THEATRICAL.—Wanted, Artists for Touring Vaudeville Company, first-class speciality, vocalistic, and novelty turns. Amateurs showing promise given consideration. Apply by letter, enc. refs., and salary required. MARTYN TOOKE, 67 Hunter-street.

TO PARENTS AND GUARDIANS. We have a VACANCY in our Modelling Department for an APPRENTICE. Exceptional opportunity for boy to learn lucrative profession. Apply Manager, AUSTRALIAN EMBOSTEEL CEILING CO., 10 Castlereagh-street.

THREE POUNDS to £5 weekly can be earned by Woman with ambition, energy, and character. Interesting work, essentially suitable for women of good sense and wholesome business ideas. Special experience unnecessary. Miss LAWSON, Viavi Suite, Equitable-building, George-street.

TAILOR.—Smart, experienced MAN wanted, to take charge of Coat Table. Good salary and prospects to right man.
FRANK FANNING,
Commonwealth Handkerchief Co.'s-building,
Wentworth-avenue,
opposite Adelphi.

TEA TRAVELLER.—Exceptional opening for enterprising and ambitious Salesman, country retail trade, good salary right man, and unlimited scope for advancement. Turnout provided. Large and old connection.
Apply, with copies references, 434, Herald Office.

TO JOURNALISTS.
Wanted, for Country Bi-weekly Newspaper, in wheat district, capable EDITOR-MANAGER, salary £4 weekly.
Open till 12th inst.
Apply, with particulars of experience and credentials, to
T. G. O.,
C/o GORDON and GOTCH, Sydney.

WANTED, BOY, to learn trade. Apply M. Holder, Metal Spinner, off 37 Bathurst-st.

WANTED, 2 PLASTERERS, Fourth and Nall's job, Mary and Reservoir sts, Surry Hills.

WANTED, DRESSMAKER. Apply A.G.L., D.M.7, Chatswood, North Shore Line.

WANTED, Boot Repairer, constant work, good man. S. J. Cropley and Sons, Allison-rd, Randwick.

WANTED, Boy, to read to shorthand student for ½ hour, luncheon time, student pref. Grapho, Herald.

WANTED, a first-class PLUMBER, licensed man preferred, constant work. A. Palmer, Park-rd, Auburn.

WANTED, Impr. and Apprentice, oppor. for capable Girls. Mrs. Powell, Milliner, 112 Liverpool-st.

WANTED, smart Electrical WIREMEN. Stanton Cook, Ltd., 22 Underwood-st, city.

WANTED, MEN to deliver handbills. Picture Show, Parramatta-rd, Concord, top Lester avenue.

WANTED, BOY, for solicitor's office. Apply J. W., Herald, King-st.

WANTED, for costume showroom, yg. Lady, as Apprentice. Apply The Globe, 40 Oxford-st.

WANTED, 2 Machinists, also Apprens., for blinds and curtains. Wilson, 10 Cunningham-st, Hymkt.

WANTED, LAD for office. Apply Beale and Co., Ltd., Trafalgar-st, Annandale.

WANTED, good CARPENTER, for fixing job. Opp. Hotel Mansions, Bayswater-rd, Darlinghurst.

WANTED, STRONG LAD. 8 College-lane, off Francis-st, Hyde Park.

WANTED, STRONG LAD. 95 Clarence-st, city.

WANTED, Plasterer, small job. Apply 69 Shadforth-st, Mosman, before 9 o'clock.

WANTED, YOUTH, used to Felt Hat Pressing. Apply John Barnsley and Co., Moore-st, Leichhardt.

WATCHMAKER wanted, for Queensland; also, MAN, to [illegible] clocks. Apply F. Grimsby, 196 Pitt-st.

WANTED, Bricklayer's LABOURER. Apply early, King's job, Manning-rd, Double Bay.

WANTED, good DRESSMAKER, by day, must cut well, at once. Tel., 1666 N. Sydney.

WANTED, two smart GIRLS, for confectioner's shop, one experienced. Apply 444 George-st.

WTD., smart LAD, for cleaning Brass, etc. Apply The Eastern Suburbs Taxi-cab Co., Bondi Junct.

WANTED, first-class General Blacksmith. Apply 8 a.m. Wednesday, 196 Kent-st.

WANTED, 2 DRIVERS, must be used to brick-carting. Saul, McEvoy-st, Alexandria.

WANTED, 2 CARPENTERS for roofing. Opposite School of Arts, Marion-st, Killara. Richardson, Son.

WANTED, 2 PLASTERERS, also Plasterer's Labourer, top money to good men. 424 Jones-st, Ultimo.

WANTED, a first-class MOTOR CAR TRIMMER, at once. Nowland and Lynch, Milton-st, Ashfield.

WIRE-WORKERS.—Under Blacksmith, for Ornamental Ironwork. Standard Waygood, Bourke-st, Watl.

WANTED, BOY, cash desk, wages 15s; good opportunity for advancement. Herr Max Gotch, 541 Geo.-st.

WANTED, an experienced Dressmaker, by day. Apply Mrs. E. Wright, 40 Holt-avenue, Mosman.

WANTED, resp. yg. Lady, for newsagent and stationer's business. Early, 102 Oxford-st, D'hurst.

WTD., 2 Canvassers, gd. selling line, prev. exp., sm. cap., essential. Bet. 11-12, 97 Francis-st, Leich.

WANTED, Carpenter and Floorlayers. Bridge-road and Booth-st, Camperdown.

WANTED, smart YOUTH, had some mechanical experience. 71 Liverpool-st, city.

WANTED, PAINTER. New Bank, 205 Glebe-rd, Glebe.

WANTED, a young GIRL, for shop. J. Holliday, 21 Botany-rd, Waterloo.

WANTED, Machinists, also Boys, 16-18. A. Dan, 141 Elizabeth-st, Redfern.

WANTED, respectable Man, as Driver of delivery van. Arnold, carrier, Kogarah. Tel., 104.

WANTED, Painters. Apply Wm. Presland, Butcher, Sydenham-rd, Marrickville.

WANTED, Boy, for Tile Department. Apply G. E. Crane and Son, 33 Pitt-st.

WANTED, a Boy for office. Apply personally. Jackson and Juchau, 20 Loftus-st.

WANTED, smart Boy for motor garage, 15s week. Hipsley and Waddell, Palmer-st, near Domain.

WANTED, a Carpenter, small job, repairing boat, [illegible] board. 32½ Burton-st, near Oxford-st.

WANTED, good Jumper and Ballastgetter, at Epping, after 6 p.m. 117 Underwood-st, Pad'ton.

WANTED, for Florist Shop, smart Girl, about 14, [illegible] trade. Pearce Bros., King-st Arcade.

WANTED, a resp. Youth, horse and buggy, 15s wk. and keep. W. Allen, 22 Porter-st, Waverley.

WANTED, smart Boy. Louever and Appleton, Confectioners, 86, 88, 90 Bay-st, nr. Broadway, Glebe.

WTD., first-class Coat and Skirt Hands, also Blouse [illegible]. Loxton and Macready, 8A City-rd, op. Gr. Brs.

WANTED, young LADY, for Dental Rooms. Before [illegible], 119 Oxford-st, city.

WANTED, an UPHOLSTERER, for a small job, at [illegible]. Apply 454 King-st, Newtown.

WANTED, smart BOY, or Improver, for Picture Framing. [illegible] King-st, Newtown.

WANTED, [illegible] BOATBUILDER, or Improver. Apply [illegible], Kogarah Bay, Sans Souci.

WANTED, a young MAN, to drive builder's electric [illegible], must hold certif. Moodie, 247 Pitt-st.

WANTED, [illegible] BRICK CLEANERS. Myrtle-st, off [illegible].

WANTED, smart FENCER, good wages, [illegible] H. [illegible], Victoria-rd, Marrickville.

WANTED, smart, plain Blouse Machinist, power, no [illegible] Hawarden, Newtown.

WTD., 2 Probationers, priv. hosp., sal. £26. Apply [illegible] Private Hospital, Narrabri.

WANTED, a BALLAST GETTER. Apply Woods, Botany-st, Randwick.

WANTED, Driver, for sanitary work. Apply E. Coleman, M'Arthur-st, South Granville.

WANTED, DRESSMAKER for a few days. Exchange Coffee Palace, 77 Sussex-st.

WANTED, Improver to painter. Apply Woodstock, [illegible], Hurstville.

WANTED, good Scabbler, for kerb and gutter. [illegible], Pfeiffmann, nr. Johnston-st sec.

WANTED, a smart young LADY, with knowledge of [illegible]. Apply in morning, between 9 and 12, MORRIS SAFE and LOCK CO., 225 Clarence-street.

WANTED, smart BOY, for office and store. Apply, [illegible] to BARNET GLASS RUBBER CO., 21 Clarence-street. Splendid opportunity.

WANTED, at once, competent YARD and SALESMAN, for Timber Yard, well up in measurements. J. CODY, Goulburn.

WANTED, at once, SADDLE and HARNESS MAKER, general hand. Constant job smart, sober man. Apply [illegible] Yass.

WANTED, a smart young Woman, as Machinist, for [illegible] machine, warehouse, nice position [illegible]. Apply 251 Clarence-street, city.

WANTED, Junior GROCER, immediately, permanent [illegible], 18 months or 2 years' experience preferred. [illegible] BANKS and CO., Ramsay-rd, Haberfield.

WANTED, smart LAD, good opportunity to learn trade, good wages. Apply Wieland's Butchery, [illegible] Haymarket.

WANTED, Anthrax Operators, must have had previous [illegible]. Apply by letter to J. Stewart and Son, Bayswater-rd, Rushcutter Bay.

WANTED at once, smart young Girl, good wages. [illegible] Book Store, 532 George-st, over Rowes', Chemist's [illegible].

WATCHMAN, thoroughly reliable and accustomed to [illegible] yard and joinery shop. Apply, with [illegible], Meadowbank [illegible] Co., Meadowbank.

WANTED, a JUNIOR SALESWOMAN, for Drapery [illegible]. Good wages to suitable hand. L. C. LANGFORD, the Leading Draper, Campsie.

WANTED, first-class TINSMITH and GALV. IRON WORKER, also PLUMBER and GASFITTER, country hands preferred; constant work for good men. Apply, stating wages, etc., F. HERRMANN, Nowra.

WANTED, at once, first-class ENGINE DRIVER for large Refrigerating Plant, also FIREMEN, used to heavy firing. Apply
6 Hoskins-buildings, Spring-street, city.

WANTED, Energetic ASSISTANT MANAGER, for leading Country Hotel. State experience and references.
BROKEN HILL, Herald.

WANTED, BOYS for Jennies, good wages, constant work.
Scott's Ropeworks,
Robey-street, N. Botany.

WANTED, BOYS, for office and warehouse.
GRIFFITHS BROS.,
Tea and Coffee Merchants,
534 George-street.

WANTED, strong BOY, about 16 years, for labelling and packing packets of tea, wages to commence 12s 6d per week. Apply Mr. DAVENPORT,
HALES, LIMITED, 24-6 O'Connell-street.

WANTED, JUNIOR, for office, wholesale warehouse, city, good wages.
Box 558, G.P.O.

WANTED, thor. competent NEEDLEWOMAN, by [illegible] white work. Apply at once,
Mrs. F. S. WILLIS,
Springdale-road, Killara.

POSITIONS VACANT.

WANTED, smart GIRL, just leaving school, for cash register. Apply
MICK SIMMONS, Ltd., Haymarket.

WANTED, smart Boy, for messages, used to horses.
OLDING'S COACHWORKS,
Parramatta-road.

WANTED, BOYS, for factory, about 16, good wages, good hours, good prospects. Apply 9.30 this morning, CARTER PAINT CO., Ltd.,
60A Sussex-street.

WANTED, 2 good Carpenters, for Taree, 10s and boat fare; boat leaves Friday, 4 o'clock; roof hands only need apply. JAMES STIDWILL, Builder, Moreton-street, Wollstonecraft.

WANTED, FIREMAN and DRIVER, must have had previous experience in factories. MOORE'S Livery Stables, opp. Beach-road, Rushcutter Bay. Apply early; wages 48s.

WANTED, YOUTH, about 17, to assist Salesman. State age, experience, and salary required, and send copy references to
Box 141, G.P.O.

WANTED, smart LAD, 15-16, for shop, good wages, easy work.
GEORGE,
Mercer and Outfitter,
167-9 Sussex-street.

WANTED, A GOOD CARPENTER.
Long job.
Apply S. WALDER, Ltd.,
340 Pitt-street.

WANTED, young MAN as Assistant Salesman, not more than 20 years of age. Salary 30s to commence. Copies of references to
Box 1781, G.P.O.

WANTED, MACHINE MINERS, for GREAT COBAR, LIMITED, COBAR.
Apply, either Australasia-chambers, Martin-place, Sydney, or COBAR, N.S.W.
GREAT COBAR, LIMITED.

WANTED, Night Fireman for Kiln, one used to Sterling Boilers preferred.
Apply to H. McKENZIE, Ltd.,
Timber Merchants,
Glebe Island.

WANTED.
SMART YOUNG LADIES
for Fancy Departments.
AXTENS and CO.,
The Strand.

WANTED, young LADY, for Manufacturer's Office, Waterloo, must have knowledge of typewriting and general office work.
SALARY, 25s TO START.
Apply URGENT,
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WANTED, 20 GIRLS, at once, good wages, and no Saturday work.
Apply
AULSEBROOK and SONS, Ltd.,
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WANTED.
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Apply
BAUMANN'S CAFE,
162 Pitt-street,
city, 9 a.m.

WANTED, JUNIOR, as LEDGER-KEEPER, for Country Store, Southern line. Must be competent to assist in general office work. State personal reference, salary required, to
LEDGERS,
Box 1223, G.P.O., SYDNEY.

WANTED, a thoroughly competent BOOKKEEPER, one capable of learning, and acting in the capacity of Secretary. Apply personally, with references, between 9 and 10 a.m.,
THE RETAILERS' CO-OP. MFG. and IMP. CO., Ltd.,
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WANTED,
Experienced LADY TYPIST and SENOGRAPHER.
Permanent position.
R. H. GORDON and CO., Ltd.,
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WANTED, LABOURERS for road making; NAPPERS, for sandstone (piecework). Apply on job: Burns' Bay, Lane Cove River. Take Lane Cove steamer from No. 7 jetty, Circular Quay to Fig Tree Bridge Wharf.

WANTED, for GREAT COBAR, LIMITED, COBAR, MACHINE MINERS; 20 UNDERGROUND LABOURERS.
Apply either Australasia-chambers, Martin-place, Sydney; or
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GREAT COBAR, LIMITED.

WANTED,
for our Alteration Workroom, experienced HANDS, also IMPROVERS. Good wages and permanent positions to competent workers.
Apply
Costume Department,
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WAGGA WAGGA HOSPITAL.
(Affiliated with the Australian Trained Nurses' Association.)

APPLICATIONS, returnable TUESDAY, 10th December, are invited for the Position of SURGICAL SISTER. Salary, £80 per annum. Matron and Head Nurse also on staff. Applicants must hold Certificate from the A.T.N.A. or R.V.T.N.A., and also state when prepared to take up duty.
A. F. D. WHITE, Secretary.

WANTED,
EXPERIENCED SALESWOMEN,
for our
LADIES' BOOT DEPARTMENT.
Apply
Mr. BRANDON,
LADIES' BOOT DEPARTMENT,
GRACE BROS.,
THE MODEL STORE,
BROADWAY.

WANTED,
for our Several Departments,
12 to 14 BOYS, ages 14 to 17 years.
Good wages to begin.
BOYS, 14 years of age, 15s.
Apply Mr. Kennedy,
GEORGE HUDSON and SON, Ltd.,
Timber Merchants,
Bridge-road,
GLEBE.

WANTED,
FARMER AND COMPANY, LIMITED,
require
A SMART YOUNG LADY,
with experience, for the Ladies' Boot Department.
Apply
FARMER AND COMPANY, LIMITED,
2nd FLOOR,
GEORGE STREET.

WANTED,
ELECTRICAL FITTER,
used to erecting d.c. power plant and switch gear. Applicants to state age and experience, and enclose copies of three recent testimonials.
Letters to be endorsed "Electrical Fitter,"
P. S. MORSE,
Sulphide Corporation, Ltd.,
Cockle Creek Smelting Works,
Boolaroo.

WANTED,
A COMPETENT MOTOR CAR DRIVER AND MECHANIC.
Wages 9s per day of eight hours.
Applications close on Thursday, the 5th December, 1912.
Apply
MOTOR,
Queen Victoria Markets Post-office, Sydney.

YOUNG Lady as clerk, must be competent. Apply Manager, Imperial Hotel, Wynyard-sq.

YOUTH, for office, wanted, salary 20s. State age. R. A., Herald, King-st.

YOUNG Ladies wanted for light packing, 11s 6d week. United Trad., Indenting Co., 65 Market-st.

YOUNG LADY, about 16, for office. Fresh Food and Ice Co., Allen-st, Waverley. Apply personally.

YOUNG LADY wanted, as CLERK in retail establishment, must be capable handling cash and billing system, salary 30s. Send copies references, and state age and experience, Box 1125, G.P.O.

YOUNG LADIES wanted, for Millinery, Fancy, and Haberdashery Depts. Apply
R. SPENCE,
Oxford street, city.

SERVANTS WANTED.

A LIGHT GENERAL. Apply Mrs. Richards, 63 Botany-rd, Waterloo.

A WORK. H'KEEPER for Parramatta Young Women's Chris. Assn. Sec., Y.W.C.A., O'Connell-st, P'matta.

A LADY HELP, for small family at Roseville, no washing, 14s, refs.; intv. 2.15 Y.W.C.A.

A SMART Man, in kitchen, garden, etc., wants Work. Address Clare, 6 Nithsdale-st.

AT Miss Macdonald's, 85 Sydney Arcade.—Compt. Gen. wanted, 2 in fam., 17; another, 20s.

AT GRIFFITHS'.—General, 16s; P. Md., 16s; H. Md.-Waitress, 15s; H'maid, 18s. 16 Elizabeth-st.

AT STREET'S AGENCY.—Man Cook, hotel, city, 50s; 2 Houseboys, same house.

AN ELDERLY MAN, as USEFUL. Amalg., Kangaroo-st, Manly.

A SMART WAITRESS, highest wages, also TEA WAITRESS. Surrey Dining Rms., 126 Bathurst-st.

A LIGHT GENERAL, for 2 adults, liberal outings. Apply cnr. Treadgold and Hubert sts, Leichhardt.

A TRUSTWORTHY PERSON, light duties, good home, wages 8s, cott. 115 Paddington-st, Pad.

A GENERAL, for cottage, gas stove, h.m. kept, adult fam., ref. Kelvin, 80 Enmore-rd, Newtown.

A WAITRESS WANTED. Hotel Metropole.

ASHFIELD Servants' Agency, 16 Charlotte-st, 8 doors station.—Wanted, Cooks, Gens., Housemaids, early.

AN exp. Cook (city institution), 25s; Scullery Md., 12s, H. P. Maid, 20s, Cooma dist.; Cook-Gen., Chats'd, ad. fam., all dut., 22s 6d, refs. Y.W.C.A.

A GENERAL, 25s for country town, 2 in family, light place. Can recommend. Mrs. SEYMOUR, 156 King-street.

AT MORISON'S, 19 Eliz.-st.—M.C., £104, short distance out of Sydney; Housemd.-Laundress, 20s, sta.; Cook, 30s, sub.; H.-md., 17s, sub.; Waiter, 25s.

ASSISTANT BARMAID, 20s, Bathurst; also Housemaid, 16s, same hotel, good tips. HITTMANN'S AGENCY, 61 Elizabeth-street.

A SMART Adaptable Needlewoman, start at once. Apply after 10, Miss BATHAM, 77 Marlborough-street, Leichhardt.

A Resp. GIRL, about 15 or 16 years, light house dut., no wash., no ch., sleep home, ref. Mrs. RYDER CROFTS, 260 King-street, Newtown.

A BARMAID, 25s, ctry.; Relieving Barmaid, 1 mth., first-class htl., subs.; Cook, 35s, woman, city, [illegible]; 2 Friends, ctry., 20s and 15s. Flett, 62 Eliz.-st.

A BOUNDARY RIDER, Single Man, 25s, also Married Couple, £125. Mrs. WOODINS, 32 Post-office-chambers, 114A Pitt-st, opp. G.P.O.

AT MRS. HORNIMAN'S, 153 Pitt-st.—Station Lad, 15s; Gardener, £1; W. Housekeeper, £1; Lady Helps (6), Subs., many pos. for all classes, subs., city.

AT GREGG'S, 72 Enmore-rd.—2 Waits., city, htl., 17s; Cook, h.b., S. Coast, 25s, Pantry M., 15s; Ck. Gen., 25s, H. and P. M., 17s, same place, Singleton.

A GOOD Plain Cook, for 1st-class Station, no men in kitchen, or bread to make, good wages, meet employer 11 to 12 at Mrs. WOODIN'S, 32 Post-office-chambers, 114A Pitt-street, opposite G.P.O.

A SMART MAN, as useful, at once, sleep off premises. References. Exchange [illegible], Oxford-street, Hyde Park.

SERVANTS WANTED.

A SMART attractive young GIRL wanted for wine saloon; also a strong Useful Girl. 1 Bond-street, city.

A COMPT. YNG. GEN., 2 adults, easy com. home, gas stove, every conv., all evgs. free, etc., 14s, and free boat tkt. COMUS, Woolwich, close Valentia-st Whf. Take Lane Cove ferry. Fare pd. T., 116 H. Hill.

A NICE, respectable GENERAL, about 30, references, gas stove, 4 adults in family. Apply Miss BOOTH, 29 Bligh-street.

A LADY HELP, Protestant, good home offered to suitable person, 4 adults, all duties, except washing, good assistance given. Mrs. J. H. CRAVEN, Walton, Concord-road, Strathfield.

A COMPETENT young GENERAL wanted, good cook, small adult family (3), housemaid kept. Mrs. APPERLY, Talagow, Kuring-gai Chase-avenue, Turramurra. Telephone, 234 Wahroonga.

A YOUNG WOMAN as KITCHENMAID in gentleman's home at Bellevue Hill; wages 16s; references required. Apply YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION, 161 Castlereagh-street.

A YOUNG WOMAN, as kitchenmaid, in gentleman's home at Bellevue Hill, wages 16s, references required. Apply YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION, 161 Castlereagh-street.

AT McKENZIE'S, 44 Castlereagh-st.—Kitchenmen, subs., 20s; Useful Boys, for farm; Farm Couple, child taken, easy place; Houseman, 20s, Manly; Lady Help, Cronulla, 15s, no laundry; Nursery Governess, city, daily, intv. 3 o'clock; Woman, 15s, no washing.

A LADY at Rose Bay requires a HOUSE and PARLOUR MAID, 2 in family. Another Girl kept. Or would take young Girl to train. Washing done by laundress. Good home for a nice Girl. Fair wages will be given. Apply in first instance by letter only to B. MURRAY, Box 1904, G.P.O., Sydney.

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AT MISS LAYARD'S, 155 ELIZABETH-STREET.—GARDENER, 40s and keep, subs., flowers, veg. refs. GROOM, Gardener, 25s, station, references req. COOK, 30s, hotel, Wollongong. COOK, 25s, 6 weeks, Goulburn, fares paid. COOK, 25s, small family, near Armidale. PARLOURMAID, 16s, small family, Rose Bay.

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SERVANTS WANTED.

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WANTED, competent HOUSEMAID-WAITRESS. 28 Bayswater-rd, Darlinghurst.

WANTED, NEEDLEWOMAN for Thursday. Telephone Edgecliff 879.

WANTED, HOUSE and PARLOUR MAID. Loloma, 36 and 38 Bayswater-rd, Darlinghurst.

WANTED, elderly Woman for few hours a day, small family. 52 Newman-st, Newtown.

WANTED, MAN, milk and deliver. Smith Bros., Lower Forth-st, Woollahra.

WANTED, young, respectable Woman, as General, good wages. Apply 145 Bathurst-st.

WANTED, a clean, resp. Girl, mind baby (walking) and assist. 196 Queen-st, Woollahra.

WANTED, Dom. Help, for small family, gas stove, Araluen, Robertson-rd, Cent. Park, nr. Clev.-st.

WANTED, comp. General or Lady Help, gas stove, all holidays. Ref. 11, 183 Trafalgar-st, Pshm.

WANTED, an elderly USEFUL. Boundary Hotel, Alexandria.

WANTED, smart PANTRYMAID. Apply Hotel Grand Central, Clarence-st.

WANTED, HOUSEMAID, 15s, 8 till 3, references required. 10 o'clock, Roberts' Hotel.

WANTED, a good Man, milk and deliver. Apply G. Jameson, Cross-st, off Mitchell-st, Kogarah.

WANTED, kind little GIRL to mind baby. Apply Mrs. Merrett, 11 Cooper-st, Balmain.

WANTED, a reliable Girl Nurse, 1 child, plain sewing. Town Hall Hotel, Darling-st, Balmain.

WANTED, a young Girl for light housework, sleep home. Mrs. Coles, Bona Vista, Boulevard, Lhdt.

WANTED, compt. General, no washing or laundry, gd. wages. Mrs. Hudson, Mullany, Co., Kat'mba.

WANTED, a SINGLE MAN, good milker, wages 30s. Open till Sat. Wilbert, Elizabeth-st, Zetland.

WANTED, GENERAL, 3 in family. Apply Mrs. M'Donald, cor. Stratham-st, Bun.-rd, S. Kens'ton.

WANTED, General, for a fortnight. Apply Thursday, Anglesark, Irene-st, Five Dock.

WANTED, a respectable yng. Girl, assist in housework. Mrs. G. Bingham, Victoria-st, Burwood.

WANTED, smart PANTRYMAID. Lyceum Cafe, 214 Pitt-st.

WANTED, H.P. MAID, help given, good wages. Apply Mrs. J. M. Sandy, Blenheim, Queen-st, Burwood.

WANTED, General SERVANT, elderly woman, no washing. Graham's Retreat, Rms., The Spit.

WANTED, useful GIRL, about 16, as Nursegirl. Apply Mrs. Thornley, Warren-rd, Roach-st, Mkvlle.

WANTED, good GENERAL, no washing. Mrs. Ritchie, Shirley, Shaftesbury-rd, Burwood.

WANTED, good GENERAL, able to cook. Apply 16 Ernest-st, Crow's Nest, North Sydney.

WANTED, young person to learn Waiting, 10s wk. Exchange Coffee Palace, 77 Sussex-st.

WANTED, a GIRL, at once, wages £1. Somerset Hotel, Pitt-st, Redfern.

WANTED, a HOUSEMAID and Laundress. 711 George-st, Haymarket.

WANTED, young Girl to assist h'hold duties. Mrs. Richards, Botany-rd and Kerosene-st, Alexandria.

WANTED, an experienced GENERAL, wages £1. Apply 656 Darling-st, Rozelle.

WANTED, light General, elderly couple, all holidays, lib. outings, gd. home. Bisley, Garnet-st, Dulw. H.

WANTED, MAN, make himself useful. W. G. Borly, White-st, Leichhardt.

WANTED, trustw. Gen., Camp'down, 15s wk., lib. out., Xmas h'days. Business Lady, C'p'down P.O.

WANTED, clean, elderly Woman, light duties, good home, small wages. 58 Westmoreland-st, Glebe.

WANTED, superior GIRL, all duties, flat, 4 rooms. Good wages. Apply GLENEIRA, Kurraba-rd, Neutral Bay. 'Phone, N.S. 517.

WANTED, a young Girl, light housework, no laundry, 2 in fam., small cottage. Mrs. RAMSAY, Hughenden, Arnold-st, Kil'ara. Tel., 947 Chatswood.

WANTED, a competent WAITRESS. Apply by letter,
COMMERCIAL HOTEL,
Moss Vale.

WANTED, LADY HELP, to assist housekeeper in doctor's house, for 3 months, during family's absence. Apply Mrs. CLARENCE READ, Chatswood.

WAITRESSES, smart, wanted, for Mountains. Apply at 12 o'clock (good wages), PERPETUAL TRADING ASSOCIATION, 105 Pitt-street.

WANTED, domesticated Person, cottage, easy place, 4 in fam; fare paid. Mrs. GEO. ROBERTSON, Tonki, Ashburner-street, Manly.

WANTED, LADY HELP, no washing, no bedrooms, good wages. Telephone, Chatswood 314. Apply Mrs. O'Neill, Dunsey, Florence-st, Killara.

WANTED, a HOUSEMAID, 3 adults, refs., parlourmaid kept. Mrs. Harold Traill, Deyna Doon, Nicholson-st, Burwood. Tel., 208.

WANTED, respectable BOY, about 16, assist on milk cart, useful, £1 week, keep, Wed. and Sunday off. Griffin, 197 Flood-street, Leichhardt.

WANTED, Cook-General, Rose Bay, no washing, little ironing, house-parlour maid kept, wages 18s. Particulars, 46 Wilson-street, Newtown. (No fee.)

WANTED, young House and Parlour Maid, 15s per week, 25 miles from Sydney. Apply with refs., 2.30 p.m., JAS. ANGUS and SONS, 105 Pitt-street.

WANTED, Lady Help, small cottage, close station, 2 children, assist all duties, but washing, good wages. Mrs. SCOULLER, Carlton-st, Granville.

WANTED, Working Housekeeper, no objection to one or two children. Apply,
W. H. PURVIS, Senior,
Woburn, Denman.

WANTED, from January 5th, Mosman, thoroughly experienced General Servant, good cook, two in family, no washing, personal references necessary, wages 25s. Particulars, Box 112, G.P.O.

WANTED, a competent GENERAL, good plain Cook, no washing, two in family, personal references, wages £1, fare paid.
Cooeyanna, Yarranabbie-road, Darling Pt.

WANTED, for station, near Cobar and Bourke, WOMAN COOK, good baker, 30s. Apply personally, Mrs. WARWICK, The Towers, Kurraba-rd, Neutral Bay. Fare refunded.

WANTED, compt. Housemaid, also Under Housemaid, for board. estab., wages 18s and 15s. Apply
KOREE, Upper Pitt-street,
Kirribilli Point, North Sydney.

WANTED, GENERAL, new cottage, gas stove, liberal outings. The Bungalow, Minna-street, Long Nose Point, Parramatta River Ferry, fifteen minutes Circular Quay.

WANTED, a smart active, young Gardener, for vegetable and plant nursery, must be able to plough, look after horses, good wages to suitable man. Apply, with copies of references, to Box 17, Haymarket P.O.

WANTED, COOK-GENERAL, cottage, gas stove, 3 family, another girl kept, own room, good wages.
HUNTINGTOWER, Homebush-road,
Tel., 177 Homebush. Homebush.

WANTED, smart WAITRESS, wages 20s, references required; also HOUSEMAID, 17s 6d, suit friends.
COMMERCIAL HOTEL,
Burren Junction.

WANTED, KITCHENMAID.
Apply
Mrs. BURDEKIN,
197 Macquarie-street.

WANTED, a smart GIRL for Bar, able to play, and wait on table. Need not be experienced at bar. Wages £1.
Apply No. 425, Herald Office.

WANTED, HOUSEMAID and UNDER HOUSEMAID, etc. Apply
KOREE,
Upper Pitt-street,
Kirribilli Point, North Sydney.

WANTED, young GIRL, PLAIN COOK, light duties, 3 adults, no washing or scrubbing.
'Phone, Central 3553. Mrs. ALLAN,
43 Lower Fort-street, Dawes Point.

WANTED, compet. General, or Lady Help, for Thirroul, to end of January, washing optional, good wages. Mrs. FARMER, Brampton, Turramurra. Fare paid. Tel., 108 Wahroonga.

WANTED, reliable MAID, to assist cook and little housework, other maids kept, private home, Potts Point. Apply to
Miss LAYARD, 155 Elizabeth-street.

WANTED, COOK-GENERAL, no washing or ironing, gas stove, wages 18s, housemaid kept.
Mrs. (Dr.) NEWTON, South-parade,
Tel., Ashfield 116. Campsie, Belmore Line.

WANTED, for the country, a refined Person, to assist with three children. Apply, with references, or by letter, to Corrytrough, Orpington-street, Ashfield.

WANTED, a Competent HOUSEMAID; also Under HOUSEMAID, for Boarding Establishment, wages 18s and 16s. Apply Koree, Upper Pitt-street, Kirribilli Point, North Sydney.

WANTED, smart MAN to keep bakehouse clean, wages 35s a week, kitchenman preferred. Apply
S. P. BRAY,
Shadforth-street, Paddington.

WANTED, a Competent GENERAL, 3 in family, no washing or ironing. Apply Wednesday or Thursday morning. Mrs. VALLACK, 33 McLaren-street, North Sydney.

WANTED, experienced KITCHENMAN; also PANTRYMAID, 18s, at once.
WALKER'S RESTAURANT,
33 Park-street, city.

WANTED, a young Lady, to take charge of children every afternoon, from 2 to 8, at Coogee, from the 23rd Dec., for a month, youngest 6; personal reference. Write, Mrs. Crossing, Camden.

WANTED, a competent NURSERY-HOUSEMAID, 1 child.
Apply Mrs. H. R. ELLIOTT,
Woodford, Canrobert-street, Mosman.

WANTED, a Competent GENERAL.
Miss MANDER JONES,
Nangur,
Homebush-road, Homebush,
Tel., 68 Homebush. opp. St. Ann's Church.

WANTED, a HOUSE and PARLOUR MAID, on the 13th inst., for 2 months, at Manly, wages 18s. Apply by letter, with copies of references, to
Mrs. KEEP,
Broughton Hall, Leichhardt.

SERVANTS WANTED.

WANTED, by elderly lady, a Companion, must be good needlewoman, not objecting to travel. Apply B.R., Parsons, Newsagent, 150 Queen-st, Wlhra.

WANTED, a good NEEDLEWOMAN, must be neat.
Apply 9 to 5,
Maru, Beach-road, Rushcutter Bay.
Tel., 586 Edgecliff.

WANTED, 2 Smart Tea-room Waitresses; 1 Smart Housemaid-Waitress; 1 Kitchen Man, relieve Sunday; 1 Woman for washing-up and helping with washing, all good wages. Apply Thursday, Continental Cafe, Ocean Beach, Manly. Tel., 189.

WANTED, a PARLOURMAID. References required. Apply Wednesday morning, or after 5 p.m.,
LADY FAIRFAX,
Ginahgulla, Bellevue Hill.
Take Watson's Bay tram to Victoria-road, Double Bay.

WANTED, MARRIED COUPLE, man to take care of golf links, woman to look after club house, mind bar, serve afternoon teas. Full particulars on application to
J. R. SCROGGIE,
Hon. Sec. Moss Vale Golf Club,
Moss Vale.

WANTED,
2 COMPETENT MAIDS—Cook and House-Parlour Maid—for country, 5 hours' journey from Sydney. Mother and Daughter or Friends preferred.
Apply to
Mrs. LLOYD JONES,
c.o. David Jones, Ltd.,
Sydney,
Between 2 and 5 p.m.

WANTED.
FARMER AND COMPANY, LIMITED,
require a Smart, Clean PANTRYMAN.
Only experienced men need apply.
Apply between 9 and 10,
Mr. McINTOSH,
THIRD FLOOR,
GEORGE-STREET.

YOUNG Lady Help and Companion, clergyman's home, 3 fam. Hautonga, Weston-st, Harris Park.

YOUNG Lady, as Help, or Woman, General. 117 Princes-st, Church Hill, city.

YOUNG person, for housework, 8.30 to 4 p.m. daily.
Mrs. C. B. SMITH,
Linda-street, Hornsby.

YOUNG, capable GIRL, assist in house and mind baby, comfortable home, 2 in family, one minute tram. Telephone, 335 Waverley. Apply 116 Leichhardt-street, Waverley.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

AN old Imperial soldier would like Position as Night Watchman or Caretaker. 429, Herald.

A REFINED young Woman, boy 8 mths., seeks Place, General, out Sydney pref. Refined, G.P.O.

A RELIABLE Gardener, Groom, useful, can milk, wants Situation. S. P., Herald.

A RELIABLE m.a. Man wants Sit., indoor, useful, assist wait., good refs. Tasman, Herald Branch.

A GOOD General, no washing, well recommended. Grenenger's Registry, Burwood-rd. Tel., 461.

A POSITION as General or Correspondence Clerk, first-class references. M. O., Herald, King-st.

A GARDENER (immigrant), age 23, wishes Postn., Mkt. Gardening or Mixed Farming. Salvia, Hrld.

A REF. country Girl des. Pos. as Housemaid, E-house pref. D., Kalfong, Cremorne-rd, Cremorne.

A YOUNG GIRL wants Housework, in adult family, suburbs pref. Nellie, P.O., Newtown.

A WORKING Housekeeper to Gentn., good cook, wtg. engmt. Mason, 63 Elizabeth-st. City 4115.

A YOUNG Woman would like Sit. as Light General, with good baby. May, 634 King-st, Tempe.

AS GARDENER, by Scotsman (young), experienced all branches, excel. refs. D. H. D., Herald.

A COMP. Woman wants Work by day, washing or Cleaning, well recommended. Tel., 2057, City.

A YNG. Woman, girl 10 yrs., wants Sit., General, no laundry wk., £1, subs., well recom. Apply Globe Agency, 63 Elizabeth-street. City, 4734.

A MARRIED COUPLE, wife cook, housekeep., or needlewoman, man useful, subs. preferred. MASON, 63 Elizabeth-street. City 4115.

A THOROUGHLY capable Lady, good cook and manager, wishes Pos., Housekeeper to gent., or Post of Trust. High refs. White, P.O., Woollahra.

A REFINED Lady desires light Employment, care of 1 or 2 walking children, daily, or housework, no cooking or washing, within penny section preferred. By letter only, H. B., 94 Victoria-st, Darlinghurst.

BUS. Girl wants Sit., good exp. in managing fam. [illegible], or confectionery. Sales, P.O., Oxford-st.

BY A COOK GENERAL, no laundry work, refs. M.D.B., Herald Branch, King-st.

BY a comp. Gardener, groom, milk, use scythe, useful, refs. Steady, Herald, King-st.

BY yg. Widow, Work, H.-keeper or Lady Help, all duties, good refs. J.S., Harnleigh P.O., M'ville.

BARMAN wants Employment, English refs., Irishman, week's trial free, smart and willing. Call after 7 p.m., B.C., Post-office, Manly.

COUNTRY GIRL wants SITUATION, light duties. X. Y. Z., Galston Post-office.

COMPETENT young Lady would like Work by day. Apply H. R., William-st P.O.

CARETAKER, or place of trust, best refs. and cash or bank guarantee; handy with tools. SQUARE, Herald Branch, King-street.

FIRST-CLASS Cook requires Situation, first-class B.H. or Pte. H., or Hotel. S.H., William-st P.O.

GENTLEWOMAN desires place Lad, 16, on stn. or farm, usef., strong, used country, refs. Mts., Herald.

GENTLEWOMAN would like Position H'keeper or Companion, help, thor'ly rel. E.J., Hymkt. P.O.

GENTLEWOMAN, light duties, or care walking children. Willing, P.O., Manly.

GENTLEWOMAN requires Engagement, educated, refined, domesticated, sew., entire charge house during holidays. City 403. Miss Rofe, 165 Pitt-street.

HOUSEKEEPER, professional gentlemen, widower's home, or bachelors. Sydney, Herald Office.

L. HELP des. Pos., all duties but wash. and iron. Pars. and wages, good refs. E. V. L., Herald.

LADY wants Position, assist light housework during December and January. Meta, Herald Office.

LADY Desires Position, Caretaker or Place of Trust, high refs. Experienced, Herald.

LADY HELP wants POSITION, daily, in Darlinghurst or Paddington. A. M., P.O., Oxford-st.

LADY, refined, trustworthy, has abilities, 5 yrs.' exp., waiting Engagement. A. M., P.O., Paddington.

LADY HELP, yg., dom., seeks Pos., homely people, G'ville pr. Mrs. Hurford, Lansdowne-st, S. G'ville.

LADY will give services return for home, self, 2 children, age 4 and 6, thoroughly capable, Sydney preferred. Fidelity, P.O., Hamilton, Newcastle.

LADY wishing return to England would give Services as Companion, Nurse, or any useful capacity, in Exchange for fare. Excellent references. Apply Miss MACLACHLAN, 350 George-street.

MASONIC BROTHER, new arrival, young, seeks Work in any capacity. Fidelity, Herald.

MAN, with Islands experience, will give £5 for Position at islands. Islands, Herald Office.

MOSMAN.—Resp. Person reqs. Light Daily Work, Mosman dist., open 5 days. Q. Z., P.O., Wharf.

MOTOR FITTER wants Job, used to most makes of cars, good refs. J. B., c.o. F. WALKAM, Sutton-street, Cootamundra.

MAN, 31, country, city experience, like hear good Position, own security and bonus. Apply
CAREFUL, Leichhardt P.O.

MAN, resp., good address, seeks Situation, Houseman, private fam., good cook, caretaker week-end resort, thoroughly domesticated, understands gardening, milking. Narrabeen, Herald Office.

M. A. WIDOW, with boy (11) desires Position as Housekeeper to Widower or Bachelor, suburb preferred. Address personally or by letter,
Mater, 8 Devine-street, Erskineville.

NURSE will attend sick person daily, otherwise, massage if wanted. Nurse, 301 G. Pt.-rd, Gl. P.

NURSES. Children's Nurse, English, trained, 7 years 1 position, walking children and infants. City 403. Miss ROFE, 165 Pitt-street.

POSITION as General or Cook, sleep home. State wages, E.W., Redfern Post-office.

RESP. exp. young Man wants Position, mixed farm, N. Coast pref., nominal wage. 128, Herald.

RELIABLE M.A. Woman wants Place, General, small adult fam., gd. refs. R.S., Crow's Nest P.O.

RESP. Woman will keep bus. prems. clean in Exch. for Unfurnished Room. City, Herald Branch.

REL. Woman (boy 5½y.) req. Sit., good General, ad. fam., pref. State wages, L.M., Redfern P.O.

RESP. elderly widow, assist all duties, small adult fam., or eld. couple, gd. ref. E.W., Hymkt. P.O.

REFINED young Lady seeks Position Working Housekeeper, fond childn., open 3 days. Yeddo, Herald.

REF. young Lady desires Position Trust, good hotel, country; open week. G., 24 Baptist-st, Redfern.

RESPECTABLE Man (abstainer) requires Garden Work, lawns, tennis-courts, odd jobs, personal refs., 5s per day, suburbs. 446, Herald.

REFINED LADY, country, widow, middle-aged, like Position in or near Sydney, Lady Help or Housekeeper, homely people, treated as one of family, 12 months housekeeping for a doctor and 8 months present position housekeeping for C.E. minister, would go to country as servant kept, open one month.
25 Gordon-street, Rozelle.

STEADY Man req. Pos. as Caretaker, Night Watchman, security if necess. P. G., [illegible].

SUPERIOR L. HELP, like position, all duties, except washing, E. subs. pref. B.W., G.P.O., Syd.

SITUATION by good plain Cook, assistance in kit. Mrs. E. M., 122 Forbes-st, Darlinghurst.

SITUATION wanted by young Mar. Couple, man cook, wife assist; or man cook, and wife housemaid. Apply B. B., Paddington P.O.

TWO young Lady Friends like pos., station, both thoroughly domesticated. Apply Kate, Redfern P.O.

TWO Friends (16-18) seek Situation, together or sep. Write, F. R., 233 Cleveland-st, Redfern.

THOR. domest. Woman wants Perm. Sit., with kind people. State wages, G.R., Glebe P.O.

WANTED by middle-aged Woman, Situation, Gen., good plain ck. Mrs. Carter, 50 Smith-st, S. Hills.

WANTED, WORK, day or night, by young man, good refs. F.P., 160 Kent-st, city.

WANTED, Position Lady Help, good with children, light housework. Mrs. Gough, P.O., Rozelle.

WANTED, by a young, exp. Barmaid, with refs., position in hotel. 155 Underwood-st, Padd'ton.

WANTED by expd. Woman, Sit. Cook, good refs. Apply Jane, 40 Womerah-avenue, Darlinghurst.

WASHING and Ironing, Cleaning by the day, any and [illegible], Thur., Friday, Sat. G. M., Newtown P.O.

WANTED, Work by elderly man in dairy, yardman, [illegible] milker. Alf, 100 Evans-st, Rozelle.

WANTED by resp. Woman, Washing or Cleaning by day, ref. A. D., 1 Judge-place, East Sydney.

WANTED by exp. Man, Circ. Delivery Handbills, reference. G. Ewers, 53 Elizabeth-st, Redfern.

WANTED by strong Woman, Washing and Cleaning by day. No. 1 John-st, Waverley.

WANTED, by young MAN, learn bar work, fortnight for nothing. L. M. N., Herald.

WANTED, a SIT. in hotel as General, town or country. A. M., 191 Barcom-avenue, Darlinghurst.

WANTED, for Thur., Fri., or Sat., Work by a resp. Woman. Address E. K., P.O., Summer Hill.

WORK wanted daily, by respectable young woman, Agnes, Elizabeth-street South P.O.

WE CAN recommend a first-class Woman COOK for hotels. Frith's Agency, 69 Elizabeth-st.

W. HOUSEKEEPER or Lady Help, no laundry or children. Letter only (Waverley, Paddington, or Woollahra pref.). Miss Stumbles, 104 Queen-st, Whra.

WANTED, by thorough Needlewoman, all kinds of Needlework and Renovating. A.M., Mosman Post-office.

WANTED, Position as Useful Companion for 5 or 6 weeks, near seaside, dating from about Dec. 21; domesticated lady, musical, good accompanist. Apply first, Domus, c.o. Mrs. Shaw, Glendon, Grove, W'hra.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

WANTED by respectable Woman, Ironing or Cleaning, Thursday and Fri. M. Lees, 28 Kippax-st, c.

YOUNG Lady desires Daily Engagement, any position of trust. X. X., Herald Office.

YOUNG Girl requires Situation in Mosman, comf. Home, no washing. 'Phone, 1175 Mosman.

YOUNG Scotsman seeks Sit., can milk, groom, kill, ride, drive, useful with tools, refs. 426, Herald.

YOUNG Woman desires Position, H'maid in f.c. hotel, bet. N'castle-Singleton. M. Thomson, P.O., Hornsby.

YOUNG Woman wants WORK by the day, cleaning preferred. A.M., 28 Queen-st, Woollahra.

YOUNG Lady requires Minding Child or Light Duties, at Mountains. Anxious, Summer Hill P.O.

YOUNG Widow des. Pos., Wkg. Housekeeper, widower or bachelor pref. Confidence, Leichhardt P.O.

YG. Lady, light Help, homely family, no wash., on Mts., Prot. M.I.R., P.O., Manly.

YOUNG LADY like pos., nurse to invalid, either sex, thor. domesticated. Apply Nellie, Redfern P.O.

YOUNG Lady would like Position, Barmaid, no prev. exp. Apply Gray, Herald, King-st.

YOUNG Nurse, experience, desires Re-engagement, will go away, yng. children. Urgent, P.O., Edgecl.

YOUNG Lady desires position Work. Housekeeper or Lady Help, Mosman or Cremorne. Experienced, P.O., Milson's Point.

YOUNG Married Couple would like SITUATION together; gentleman Competent Barman, Waiter, and used to horses; Lady good Needlewoman, Pianist, and domesticated. Apply J. P., Herald.

YOUNG Lady desires Appointment as Housekeeper in first-class hotel, wide English experience and first-class certificates. Wollarobba, Junction-road, Hornsby. Tel., 483 Wahroonga.

PERSONAL AND MISSING FRIENDS.

A YOUNG Man would like make acquaintance of yng. lady, 21 to 25 yrs., view mat. T. D., Herald.

ARCH.—Write; full particulars of important news. Gladys, P.O., North Shore.

ANYONE knowing the whereabouts of Mrs. G. HUNT, late of Helensburgh, kindly call on Mrs. LEES, True Briton Hotel, Elizabeth-st, Surry Hills.

BERT YOUNG, last heard of on s.s. Bombala, write to Sister, Ophelia, G.P.O., Sydney.

CURLEY, BRIDGET.—Please write to Sister Norah, Hillside, Saunders-lane, P'mont. Last heard Brisb.

GLADYS.—Write to G.P.O., Sydney. Important news. Arch.

GENT., Govt. pos., wishes meet lady, 22 to 26, ref., educ., dom., Prot. E.V., Redfern P.O.

GENTLEMAN, small means, join another, retired, very comfortable fishing camp, Hawkesbury, boat, launch, share expenses, congenial companion, permanent if agreeable. Particulars, MATES, Herald.

JACK.—Will see you, Grace Bros., 7.30 p.m., Wednesday. Girlie.

JACK.—Letter awaits you. Why not write to old address? Perfectly safe, or 'Phone. Girlie.

LADY Teacher, 29, wishes correspond refined Widower, view Matrimony. Profession, Herald.

LADY, 39, means, wishes meet same, Companion, outing, east. subs. Ruth, P.O., Paddington.

LADY, leaving for England in March, like to know another lady going. Friendship, Haymarket P.O.

MILLY Q.—Theo and Wally anxious to hear from you. Address 118 Willis-st, Wellington, N.Z.

MATRIMONY.—Young Man, age 44, with £240 cash, wishes to meet young Lady or Widow, with similar means. No P.O. address taken. Address Work, William-street P.O.

RESPECTABLE Woman would meet hon. Man, 50, v. mat., no cads. A.B., Haymarket Post-office.

REFINED young Lady would like to meet refined young Gent. for company, between 20 and 26 years, Protestant pref, view to MATRIMONY.
Cheerful, Herald Office.

SISSKI.—Write again and make an appointment for Sunday evening in town. Avon.

SPINSTER, 46, tall, well built, best refs., des. meet resp. Man, view Mat. Truthful, G.P.O.

TALL, fair, Colonial like make acq. of a sensible Scotch or Eng. Girl, Prot., dark hair and eyes, abt. 25 yrs., view to Matrimony. Colonial, Q.V.M. P.O.

WIDOW, no encumb., wishes to meet Gent., 36-40, good pos., with view to Mat. S.W., P.O., Oxf.-st.

WIDOW, 41, like meet kind working Man, about same age, view to Mat. P.E., Rozelle P.O.

WILL HERBERT C. NAPTHALI (late of Fremantle, W.A.), or any Person knowing his address, please communicate with ARTHUR E. DAVIES and CO., Undertakers, Fremantle, W.A.

YOUNG Gent., 23, dark, means, make acquaintance young Lady, 19-22 years, dark, view Matrimony. ACQUAINTANCE, George-street West P.O.

COOKE'S Detective and Lost Friends Office, 4 Rowe-st, Sydney. Commended by Judges and Police.

MISSING FRIENDS.—£77,693,360 unclaimed. Next View Mat. Agcy., and Bioscope Sch., 189 C'reagh-st.

PRIVATE DETECTIVE OFFICE.—All work strictly confidential. J. S. Edwards, 90 Pitt-st, Sydney.

LOST AND FOUND.

B. MARE, brnd. bracket/T rev., C. Mare, IG/curve, C. Gelding, JH/, rew. 118 Morehead-st, Red.

CANARY, lost, Tuesday. Reward on returning to 26 Allen-st, Glebe Point.

GOLD Bangle Lost, between Arcade Hall and Hayberry-st, Saturday; rew. 60 Hayberry-st, N. Syd.

GOLD SLEEVE LINK Lost, eng. F. T. Terrey, O'Sullivan-rd, Bondi.

GOOD rew., lost at Freshwater, Sun., Gold Bracelet, set 5 emeralds. 35 Cleveland-st, Darlington.

LEFT Tramline, Circular Quay, opp. P'matta Wharf, Sugar Bag; reward. Barnett, Tattersall's Club.

LOST, Monday, Greenstone Brooch, on Botany or Bondi tr. Rew. Mrs. J. Weyman, William-st, Mas.

LOST, Lady's Brilliant Neck Ornament, in Elizabeth-st; reward. 79 Phillip-st.

LOST, String of Corals, between Farmer and Co. and Australia Hotel. Rew. Office, Australia Hotel.

LOST, on Friday, in city, 1 Gent.'s Gold Ring; reward. Hillview, Hodgson-avenue, Cremorne.

LOST, a Brass Motor Tail Lamp, between Homebush and Sydney. Rew. Return to 88 Liverpool-st.

LOST, Monday, betw. Rockdale and Sydney, Fancy Gold Chain Bangle; reward. 427, Herald Office.

LOST, BROOCH, last Sunday; owner's name inside; 10s reward. Nirvana, Lang-rd, Centennial Park.

LOST, bet. Cafe Francais, Circular Quay, Gold-rimmed Glasses, on but., rew. Cafe Francais, Geo.-st.

LOST, bet. Denison-st and Bondi, Green Lizard Brooch; keepsake; reward. 91 Denison-st, Wav.

LOST, Gold-rmd. Bar Pince-nez. Apply A. J. Mackenzie, Rawhill, Wyuna-rd, Woollahra Point.

LOST, Swan Fountain Pen, in city. Finder rewarded. A. W., 72 Military-rd, Mosman.

LOST, Chestnut HORSE, blazing face. Reward. Makepeace, Cowper-st, Bondi Junc. Tel., 482 Wav.

LOST, Tues., Purse (money), bet. Edmondson's (butcher), Railway-st, Rockdale. Ret. Edmondson. Rew.

LOST, gentleman's Gold Scarfpin, corner Bondi-rd and Ocean-st. Reward. Vuna, Ocean-st, Bondi.

LOST, Peggybag, J.L. on outside, bunch of keys and loose silver, rew. 28 Cambridge-st, Stanmore.

LOST, Snake Belt, tourq. in head, no value only owner, keepsake, rew. 65 Jersey-rd, Woollahra.

LOST, Sunday, Cen. Rly. Stn., Gold Brooch, pearls, redstone, reward. Crown Hotel, Crown-Clev. sts.

LOST, Eastwood, Monday, between Clanwilliam-st, Rly. Stn., Am. Pendant, rew. Auckett, Clanwm. st.

LOST, bet. Waterview-st and Gladstone Park, Bamboo Bangle, keepsake, rew. 24 Waterview-st, Bal.

LOST, on Nov. 25, set of Plans, Cottage; reward. C. and C. Miller, Plumbers, Belmore.

LOST, on Thursday last, Magpie, child's pet. Reward on return. to 29 Wentworth-st, Glebe.

LOST, bet. Johnston-st and Trafalgar-st, Purse, contg. Silver, Postage Stamps. Rew. Trafalgar-st, An'dale.

LOST, Anthony Hordern's, bet. Refresh. and Toy Rms, Purse, con. Money. Thompson, Crystal-st, Roz.

LOST, bet. Bondi, Wav., and Double Bay, Black Tarpaulin, Sat. Reward. A. Mason, 33 Selwyn-st, Padd.

LOST, Friday, Pearl Brooch, Cremorne tram or boat to Hunter's Hill. 124 Cowles-rd, Mosman.

LOST, the Morning Headache, now that I stick to DICKENS WHISKY.

LEFT, in Bondi tram, Monday night, Lady's BAG, containing money and jewellery. Reward at 24 Council-st (near Council-chambers, Bondi-rd).

LOST, Black Collie Dog, white points, well feathered tail, answering name Hector; reward. WESTPHALL and CLARK, Pitt and Bridge streets.

LOST, between Darlinghurst and Bondi Junction, from tram, Monday evening, PANAMA HAT, reward. E. R. ABIGAIL, 67 Elizabeth-street, Sydney.

LOST, 15-ct. Gold Chain Bangle, between Bourke-street, D'hurst, and King-st, [illegible], presentation, handsome reward. 131 Hargrave-st, Padd.

LOST, between Punch-street and Balmain P.O., Gold BROOCH; keepsake. Reward upon returning to 47 Birchgrove-road, Balmain.

LOST from train, between Erskineville and Redfern, large Greenstone Heart. Reward 10s. Mrs. Crawford, opp. Town Hall, Botany.

LOST, last week, two IRISH TERRIER DOGS. Reward given. Ring up Mosman 589. Letters, Box 112, G.P.O.

LOST, between Enmore and Stanmore, Purse, containing Carter's Collection of Money. Reward on returning 101, Driver, Fresh Food and Ice Co., M'ville.

LOST, 1 mile championship gold MEDAL, diamond in centre. Return to 460 Cleveland-st, Surry Hills. LIBERAL REWARD.

LOST, Gold round Brooch, set with pearls, coming out of Colonial Pictures or George-st, reward. 29 Ennis-st, Balmain.

LOST, about Circular Quay, Monday evening, HAND BAG, with clothes and papers. REWARD. "Farmer and Grazier" Office, Vickery's-chambers.

LEFT in Haberfield Tram, 5.30 p.m. from Marion-st, a Lady's Brown Handbag, containing purse, money, eyeglasses, papers, etc., reward. Return 89 Marlborough-street, Leichhardt.

LEFT in tram on Monday afternoon, 2nd December, between Edgecliff and city, Lady's HAIRPAD. Liberal reward on returning to EVA BRAHAM, 374 George-street, over John Sands'.

LOST, on No. 5 Plat. C. R., Sat. night, sm. Gold Bangle, names and date engraved, keepsake. Lady seen picking up, please write Manager, Austral Chair Company, Milford-street, city.

LOST, Lady's Gold Watch Chain and Trinkets, 2nd inst., St. Mary's School Hall, Birrell-street, Botany-street, Bondi-road, to Wilawong, Waverley-crescent. Please return or write. Reward.

LOST (£2 rew), Brown Blood GELDING, 8 yrs., branded H near shoulder, 1 off shoulder, 9 off ribs, small blaze, one hind foot white, long tail.
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PURSE Lost, containing money, stamps, papers; gd. reward. Viewforth, Dawes Point, George-st N.

PUG BITCH, seen with person known, 16th Nov., Lost. Reward. 124 Newland-st, Waverley.

REWARD.—Lost, Moore Pk. Sun., Bronze Medal, in ca., insc., W'ward Mem. R. Lipman, 190 D'shire-st.

REWARD, £1.—LOST, on Wed. Silver-haired Terrier. Return, Mrs. Clamp, Merriwa-st, Katoomba.

REWARD, £1.—Lost, Red Roan Pony Mare, brand PC nr. shd., 3 white feet. J. Purdy, Mortdale.

REWARD £5.—Lost on Friday, Gold WATCH and CHAIN, between Moore-st and Coogee. H. H. HASSAN, Royal Arcade, Pitt-street.

REWARD, £2.—One Brown Mare, branded D H over S near shoulder. W. Redman, Greenwich-road, Greenwich.

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THE Man seen picking up Ladies' Black Handbag, left in 6.34 Train from Marrickville, Friday evening, known. Return Mrs. GILROY, Kent, Malakoff-street, Marrickville.

THE Person that was seen picking up Lady's Handbag, contg. gold, silver, specs., etc., near Sydenham Station, Monday, Nov. 25, return 70 George-street, St. Peters, save trouble.

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